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4 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 7

Official meetings

Monday, 12 September 2005

Security Council

- 10 a.m. 5258th meeting (closed) Economic and Social Council Chamber
1. Adoption of the agenda
 2. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Liberia pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
- 10.45 a.m. Consultations of the whole (closed). Consultations Room
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General Assembly Sixtieth session

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General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10.30 a.m.–1 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3–6 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Board of Auditors	

General Assembly

Sixtieth session

High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly

(14-16 September 2005)

The provisional list of speakers (No. 4) for the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly is now available at the General Assembly Affairs Branch (rooms S-2925 and S-2940B). The provisional list of speakers (No. 4) has also been sent by facsimile directly to the Permanent Missions (Office of the Permanent Representative).

Delegations are reminded that, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 59/291 of 15 April 2005, statements are limited to five minutes.

Separate meeting on Financing for Development

(14 September 2005, 10 a.m.–1 p.m.)

Copies of the list of speakers for the separate meeting on Financing for Development are available at the General Assembly Affairs Branch (room S-2925).

To accommodate all the speakers, statements in the separate meeting on Financing for Development are limited to three minutes.

Interactive round-table sessions

Copies of the composition of the four round-tables are available at the General Assembly Affairs Branch (room S-2950A). For information in this regard, please contact Ms. Lotta Tahtinen (tel. 1 (917) 367-2212).

General Assembly

Sixtieth session

General debate

(17-23 September 2005, 26-28 September 2005)

The provisional list of speakers (No. 2) for the general debate of the sixtieth regular session of the General Assembly is now available at the General Assembly Affairs Branch (rooms S-2925 and S-2940B). The provisional list of speakers (No. 2) has also been sent by fax to the Permanent Missions (Office of the Permanent Representative).

Delegations are reminded that in accordance with the practice at recent sessions of the General Assembly, a voluntary 15-minute time limit should be observed during the general debate. The list of speakers was prepared on the basis of this 15-minute time limit. To help speakers in the general debate respect the time limit, a mechanism will be installed at the rostrum of the General Assembly Hall.

Other meetings

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Monday, 12 September 2005

Briefing on the meeting of Foreign Ministers of member countries of the International Committee for the Development of Lumbini (organized by the Permanent Mission of Nepal)

9.30–10.30 a.m. Closed meeting Conference Room C

Association of South-East Asian Nations (ASEAN) (meeting of Foreign Ministers)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 9

Arab Group

11 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room C

Group of 77 (at the ambassadorial level)

11 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber

Press conference

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/News/press/conf.htm.

Monday, 12 September 2005

Room S-226

10.30 a.m. Mr. Kofi Annan, Secretary-General of the United Nations

12 noon Press briefing by the Spokesman

1 p.m. Mrs. Anna Tibaijuka, Executive Director, United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat) (on the *Global Report on Human Settlements 2005*, on the theme of financing urban shelter)

Forthcoming official meetings

Tuesday, 13 September 2005

General Assembly

Sixtieth session

10 a.m. 1st plenary meeting General Assembly Hall

1. Opening of the session by the President of the General Assembly
2. Minute of silent prayer or meditation
3. Appointment of the members of the Credentials Committee
4. Organization of work of the sixtieth regular session of the General Assembly: letter from the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences (A/60/344)

General Committee

Morning¹ 1st meeting Conference Room 4

Organization of work of the sixtieth session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items: memorandum of the Secretary-General (A/BUR/60/1)

¹ To be held immediately following the adjournment of the 1st plenary meeting of the General Assembly.

First Committee

The First Committee will hold its organizational meeting on Thursday, 29 September 2005, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 4, to consider its tentative programme of work and timetable (A/C.1/60/CRP.1).

The Committee will begin its substantive work by holding a general debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items from Monday, 3 October, to Friday, 7 October 2005. The list of speakers for the general debate is open. Delegations wishing to be inscribed are requested to kindly contact the secretariat of the First Committee (Ms. Veronika Bartosch (room S-2977G; tel. 1 (917) 367-9328)).

Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be forwarded to Ms. Cheryl Stoute, Secretary of the First Committee (room S-2977H; tel. 1 (212) 963-5595; fax 1 (212) 963-5305; e-mail leong@un.org).

General Assembly

Committee on Conferences

Substantive session

The substantive session of the Committee on Conferences will be held from 19 to 23 September 2005. The provisional agenda for the session will be as follows:

1. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters
2. Calendar of conferences and meetings
 - (a) Intersessional departures for 2005 and related matters

- (b) Adoption of the draft biennial calendar of conferences and meetings for 2006-2007
 - (c) Improved utilization of conference-servicing resources and facilities
 - (i) Meeting statistics of United Nations organs, and consultations with/letters to bodies concerning utilization of the conference services available to them
 - (ii) Provision of interpretation services to meetings of regional and other major groupings of Member States
 - (iii) Improved utilization of conference facilities at the United Nations Office at Nairobi
 - (iv) Improved utilization of the conference centre at the Economic Commission for Africa
 - (d) Requests for exceptions to section I, paragraph 7, of General Assembly resolution 40/243
 - (e) Consideration of the draft biennial calendar of conferences and meetings of subsidiary organs of the Economic and Social Council for 2006-2007
3. Improving the performance of the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management
- (a) Integrated global management
 - (b) Workload standards and performance measures
 - (c) Responsibility and accountability system in documents submission
 - (d) Provision of summary records
 - (e) Electronic tools and innovative ways and means to provide services to Member States
4. Translation-and interpretation-related matters
5. Review of the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2006-2007: Department for General Assembly and Conference Management
6. Information technology
7. Other business
8. Adoption of the report

[Reports on agenda items 2 through 6 are contained in the following documents: A/AC.172/2005/CRP.2¹, A/60/93 and A/60/112.]

[In accordance with the procedure established by the Committee on Conferences at its 423rd meeting, on 1 September 1999, as reflected in paragraphs 172 to 175 of A/54/32, and amended in paragraph 10 of A/56/32, non-members who wish to participate as observers are invited to send a request in writing to Mr. Imre Karbuczky, Secretary of the Committee on Conferences (fax 1 (212) 963-7405; e-mail karbuczky@un.org).]

¹ To be issued.

Economic and Social Council

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board

Pre-session briefing

An informal pre-session information briefing on major issues before the UNICEF Executive Board at its second regular session (28-30 September 2005) will take place on Tuesday, 20 September 2005, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 3. The provisional annotated agenda and organization of work are contained in document E/ICEF/2005/10. All delegations are invited to attend.

Second regular session for 2005

The second regular session of the UNICEF Executive Board will take place from 28 to 30 September 2005 in Conference Room 2.

The provisional annotated agenda and organization of work are contained in document E/ICEF/2005/10. All documentation for the session is available on the UNICEF Web site at the following address: www.unicef.org/about/execboard/index_25993.html.

Delegations are requested to fax their credentials to the Office of the Secretary of the UNICEF Executive Board (fax 1 (212) 326-7096) as soon as possible, but no later than Friday, 23 September 2005. In accordance with rule 50 (2) of the rules of procedure and its annex, observer delegations are also requested to communicate, with their credentials, their special interest in the items of the provisional agenda on which they intend to intervene.

Other forthcoming meetings

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Presentation and discussion on "Slums of the world – Trends and facts of MDG Target 11 on slums"
(organized by the Monitoring Systems Branch, UN-Habitat, in collaboration with the International Institute for Geo-Information Science and Earth Observation (Netherlands))

Monday, 19 September 2005, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 9.

Sixth Annual Ministerial Meeting of the Group of Landlocked Developing Countries

Monday, 19 September 2005, from 3 to 6 p.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

Group of the Least Developed Countries (smooth transition for graduation from least developed country status and sustained growth: Cape Verde Environment Plan of Action)

Tuesday, 20 September 2005, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 4.

UNITAR briefings for new delegates to the General Assembly

General briefing on the work of the sixtieth session of the General Assembly: Tuesday and Wednesday, 20 and 21 September 2005, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m.;

Special briefing on the work of the Second Committee: Thursday, 22 September 2005, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.;

Special briefing on the work of the Fifth Committee: Thursday, 22 September, from 3 to 6 p.m.; and

Special briefing on the work of the Third Committee: Friday, 23 September, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

[A letter on this subject, including an information note and a nomination form, was addressed to all the permanent missions. The registration deadline is Tuesday, 13 September. For further information, please contact Ms. Maud Graham (room DC1-603; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Second inter-agency consultations to prepare for the 2006 Comprehensive Review of the Brussels Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries (organized by the Office of the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States (UN-OHRLLS))

Wednesday, 28 September 2005, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (Closed meeting).

Briefing on "Developments in ocean affairs and the law of the sea" (organized by the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs, and the United Nations Institute for Training and Research)

Monday, 3 October 2005, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.; and

Tuesday, 4 October, from 1 to 3 p.m. (Room to be announced).

[Members of Permanent Missions are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Vasu Vaitla or Mr. Noel Johnston (tel. 1 (212) 963-9684 or 963-9196; e-mail vaitla@un.org).]

Announcements

Side events on the occasion of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly

The list of side events on the occasion of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly can be consulted at the following address: www.un.org/summit2005.

The language Web sites of the High-level Plenary Meeting are the following:

www.un.org/summit2005

www.un.org/arabic/summit2005

www.un.org/chinese/summit2005

www.un.org/french/summit2005

www.un.org/russian/summit2005

www.un.org/spanish/summit2005

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf

The Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf will continue the work of its sixteenth session until Friday, 16 September 2005, at the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea (DC2 building, 4th floor), for a technical examination of submissions at the Geographic Information System Laboratory and other technical facilities.

Security Council

Daily informal briefings

As from Tuesday, 6 September 2005, and for the rest of the month, the Presidency of the Security Council will conduct informal briefings daily on the current work of the Council for Member States of the United Nations, which are non-members of the Council, except on days on which no informal consultations are scheduled. The briefings will take place immediately following the adjournment of the informal consultations.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530.

Conference on Facilitating the Entry into Force of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty

The Conference on Facilitating the Entry into Force of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty will be held from 21 to 23 September 2005. The opening of the Conference will take place on Wednesday, 21 September, at 3 p.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. For enquiries regarding the provisional list of speakers, please contact Ms. Bertha Ortiz, Department for Disarmament Affairs (tel. 1 (212) 963-0846; fax 1 (212) 963-8892; room S-3140). Delegations are reminded that credentials should be issued for representatives of ratifying States and the name of alternate

representatives and advisers, in accordance with rule 3 of the draft rules of procedures (CTBT-Art. XIV/2005/1). This information should be submitted to Ms. Kerstin Bihlmaier, Department for Disarmament Affairs (tel. 1 (212) 963-2381; fax 1 (212) 963-8892; room S-3140C).]

Summary of official meetings

Friday, 9 September 2005

Security Council

5257th meeting (closed) *Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B*

The Security Council met in private. At the close of the meeting, the following communiqué was issued by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Council:

"On 9 September 2005, the Security Council, pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B, held its 5257th meeting in private with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea (UNMEE).

"The Security Council and the troop-contributing countries heard a briefing under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure by Mr. Legwaila Joseph Legwaila, Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Ethiopia and Eritrea."

General Assembly

Fifty-ninth session

Fifth Committee

Second part of the resumed session

60th meeting *Programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005* [108]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this item.

Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/59/L.69/Rev.1: A strengthened and revitalized General Assembly

The Controller introduced the report of the Secretary-General (A/C.5/59/35/Rev.1).

The Acting Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related report of that Committee (A/59/910).

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee introduced a draft decision, to be issued as document A/C.5/59/L.80.

Following a suspension of the meeting, the representative of the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Union) amended the draft decision.

Before the consideration of the draft decision, as orally amended, the representatives of Japan and Egypt made statements.

The Committee adopted the draft decision, as orally amended, without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of this question.

Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [107]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this agenda item.

The Committee had before it draft decision A/C.5/59/L.79 submitted by the Vice-Chairman.

Before consideration of the draft decision, statements were made by the representatives of the United States, Cuba, the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Union), Mexico and India.

The Committee adopted, without a vote, the draft decision.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of this question.

Closure of the work of the Fifth Committee during the second resumed part of the fifty-ninth session of the General Assembly

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee made a concluding statement and declared closed the work of the Fifth Committee during the second resumed part of the fifty-ninth session of the General Assembly.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Opening for signature

International Convention for the Suppression of Acts of Nuclear Terrorism

United Nations Headquarters (13 April 2005)

The above Convention was adopted on 13 April 2005 during the 91st plenary meeting of the General Assembly by resolution A/RES/59/290. In accordance with its article 24, the Convention shall be open for signature by all States from 14 September 2005 until

31 December 2006 at United Nations Headquarters in New York. The Convention will be open for signature on the first day of the *Focus 2005 Treaty Event: Responding to Global Changes*.

The Secretary-General would be obliged if States wishing to sign the Convention could notify, and provide copies of the required full powers in advance to the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs, at United Nations Headquarters in New York (tel. 1 (212) 963-5047; fax 1 (212) 963-3693; e-mail treaty@un.org).

For more information on full powers, please refer to the Treaty Handbook on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site, which can be accessed at the following address: untreaty.un.org.

The Secretary-General takes this opportunity to recall that, under established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered, by virtue of their functions, to sign a treaty on behalf of a State without having to produce full powers to that effect. Other representatives wishing to sign a treaty must be in possession of appropriate full powers, which expressly authorize signature of a specified treaty by a named representative issued by one of these authorities.

Treaty event

Multilateral Treaty Framework: An invitation to Universal Participation Focus 2005: Responding to Global Challenges

**United Nations Headquarters
(14-16 September 2005)**

The Treaty Event will take place from 14 to 16 September during the General Assembly. Treaty actions may be undertaken with regard to any treaty deposited with the Secretary-General in addition to the 32 treaties being highlighted at this year's treaty event. The publication *Multilateral Treaty Framework: An invitation to Universal Participation – Focus 2005: Responding to Global Challenges* may be viewed in the United Nations Treaty Collection on the Internet at <http://untreaty.un.org> and will be circulated to all of the Permanent Missions in New York as soon as possible. Under the established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered, by virtue of their functions, to sign treaties on behalf of States without having to produce full powers to that effect. All other representatives wishing to sign treaties must be in possession of appropriate full powers which expressly authorize signature of specified treaties by a named representative, issued and signed by one of the above authorities. Likewise, instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession must be issued and signed by the same authorities.

Delegations wishing to undertake treaty actions during the treaty event are advised to contact the Treaty Section well in advance for appropriate arrangements to be made. Necessary facilities, including media coverage, will be made available for treaty actions to be undertaken in a solemn setting.

Further information concerning the requirements for full powers and the deposit of instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession (including model instruments) can be found in the *Treaty Handbook*.

Other announcements

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Prayer service on the eve of the opening of the sixtieth session of the General Assembly (organized by the Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See and the Archdiocese of New York)

Monday, 12 September 2005, at 5 p.m., at the Church of the Holy Family (315 East 47th Street).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact the Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See (tel. 1 (212) 370-7885).]

Treaty event for the ratification of the fundamental ILO conventions (organized by the International Labour Organization)

From Wednesday, 14, to Friday, 16 September 2005, in the Treaty Section Signature Room (S-3205).

[ILO Member States wishing to take advantage of the occasion of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly to sign or deposit an instrument of ratification of the fundamental ILO conventions are kindly requested to contact the ILO Office for the United Nations, New York (tel. 1 (212) 697-0150; fax 1 (212) 697-5218), as soon as possible, so that appropriate arrangements can be made.]

Side event on "Humanitarian reform and the Central Emergency Response Fund" with the Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and interested Member States (co-sponsored by the Permanent Missions of Luxembourg, Mexico, South Africa and Sweden)

Thursday, 15 September 2005, from 3 to 5 p.m. in Conference Room 7.

[Member States wishing to make a statement at the event should contact Ms. Hee-Kyong Yoo (e-mail yoo@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9682), by Tuesday, 13 September.]

General information

Chairmen of regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of September 2005 has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:

Mozambique

H.E. Mr. Filipe Chidumo

Asian States:

China

H.E. Mr. Wang Guangya

Eastern European States:

The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

H.E. Mr. Igor Dzundev

Latin American and Caribbean States:

Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela

H.E. Mr. Fermín Toro Jiménez

Western European and other States:

Australia

H.E. Mr. John Dauth

Web sites

Presidency of the General Assembly:

www.un.org/arabic/ga/president

www.un.org/chinese/ga/president

www.un.org/ga/president

www.un.org/french/ga/president

www.un.org/russian/ga/president

www.un.org/spanish/ga/president

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www.un.org/arabic/ga

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www.un.org/french/ga

www.un.org/russian/ga

www.un.org/spanish/ga

Department for General Assembly and Conference Management:

www.un.org/Depts/DGACM/index_arabic.htm

www.un.org/Depts/DGACM/index_chinese.htm

www.un.org/Depts/DGACM/index_eng.htm

www.un.org/Depts/DGACM/index_french.htm

www.un.org/Depts/DGACM/index_russian.htm

www.un.org/Depts/DGACM/index_spanish.htm

United Nations Webcast:

www.un.org/webcast

Presidency of the Security Council:

www.un.org/Docs/sc/presidency/

www.un.org/french/docs/sc/presidency/

www.un.org/spanish/docs/presidency/

Security Council:

www.un.org/arabic/sc/

www.un.org/chinese/aboutun/prinorgs/sc/

www.un.org/french/docs/cs/

www.un.org/sc/

www.un.org/russian/sc/

www.un.org/spanish/docs/sc/

*Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001)
concerning counter-terrorism:*

www.un.org/arabic/documents/SCCommittees/1373

www.un.org/chinese/aboutun/prinorgs/sc/committees/1373/1373.htm

www.un.org/docs/sc/committees/1373

www.un.org/french/docs/sc/committees/1373

www.un.org/russian/document/scdocs/committees/1373

www.un.org/spanish/docs/comites/1373/index.html

Economic and Social Council:

www.un.org/arabic/ecosoc/

www.un.org/esa/coordination/ecosoc/

www.un.org/french/ecosoc/

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www.un.org/spanish/documents/esc/index.htm

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Soixantième session

Réunion plénière de haut niveau de l'Assemblée générale

(14-16 septembre 2005)

La liste provisoire des orateurs (No 4) pour la Réunion plénière de haut niveau de l'Assemblée générale est maintenant disponible au Service des affaires de l'Assemblée générale (bureaux S-2925 et S-2940B). La liste provisoire des orateurs (No 4) a également été télécopiée directement aux missions permanentes (Bureau du Représentant permanent).

Il est rappelé aux délégations que, conformément à la résolution 59/291 du 15 avril 2005, les déclarations sont limitées à cinq minutes.

Réunion distincte sur le financement du développement

(14 septembre 2005, 10 à 13 heures)

On peut se procurer des exemplaires de la liste d'orateurs pour la réunion distincte sur le financement du développement auprès du Service des affaires de l'Assemblée générale (bureau S-2925).

Afin d'accommoder tous les orateurs, la durée des interventions à la réunion distincte sur le financement du développement est limitée à trois minutes.

Tables rondes interactives

On peut se procurer des exemplaires de la composition des quatre tables rondes auprès du Service des affaires de l'Assemblée générale (bureau S-2950A). Pour des informations à ce sujet, veuillez prendre contact avec Mme Lotta Tahtinen (tél. 1 (917) 367-2212).

Assemblée générale

Soixantième session

Débat général

(17-23 septembre 2005, 26-28 septembre 2005)

La liste provisoire des orateurs (No 2) pour le débat général de la soixantième session ordinaire de l'Assemblée générale est maintenant disponible au Service des affaires de l'Assemblée générale (bureaux S-2925 et S-2940B). La liste provisoire des orateurs (No 2) a également été télécopiée directement aux missions permanentes (bureau du Représentant permanent).

Il est rappelé aux délégations que, conformément à la pratique des sessions récentes de l'Assemblée générale, un temps de parole volontairement limité à un maximum de 15 minutes par délégation sera observé durant le débat général. La liste des orateurs est établie sur la base de cette limite de 15 minutes. Un mécanisme a été installé à la tribune de l'Assemblée générale afin d'aider les orateurs à respecter la limite du temps de parole.

Assemblée générale

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Autres réunions

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Lundi 12 septembre 2005

Réunion d'information sur la réunion des Ministres des affaires étrangères des pays membres du Comité international pour le développement de Lumbini (organisée par la Mission permanente du Népal)

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Lundi 12 septembre 2005

Salle S-226

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Soixantième session

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1. Ouverture de la séance par le Président de l'Assemblée générale
2. Minute de silence consacrée à la prière ou à la méditation
3. Nomination des membres de la Commission de vérification des pouvoirs
4. Organisation des travaux de la soixantième session ordinaire de l'Assemblée générale : lettre du Président du Comité des conférences (A/60/344)

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¹ À l'issue de la 1re séance plénière de l'Assemblée générale.

Première Commission

La Première Commission tiendra sa séance d'organisation le jeudi 29 septembre 2005 à 15 heures dans la salle de conférence 4, pour examiner le projet de programme et de calendrier (A/C.1/60/CRP.1).

La Première Commission commencera ses travaux de fond avec un débat général sur tous les points de l'ordre du jour relatifs au désarmement et à la sécurité internationale, du lundi 3 au vendredi 7 octobre 2005. La liste des orateurs pour le débat général est ouverte. Les délégations qui souhaitent participer au débat général sont priées de prendre contact avec le secrétariat de la Première Commission (Mme Veronika Bartosch (bureau S-2977G; tél. 1 (917) 367-9328)).

Il est rappelé aux délégations que les noms des représentants, des représentants suppléants et des conseillers doivent être communiqués à Mme Cheryl Stoute, Secrétaire de la Première Commission (bureau S-2977H; tél. 1 (212) 963-5595; télécopie 1 (212) 963-5305; courriel leong@un.org).

Assemblée générale**Comité des conférences**

Session de fond

La session de fond du Comité des conférences se tiendra du 19 au 23 septembre 2005. L'ordre du jour provisoire de la session sera le suivant :

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 - b) Adoption du projet de calendrier biennal des conférences et réunions pour 2006-2007
 - c) Amélioration de l'utilisation des services et installations de conférence
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 - ii) Fourniture de services d'interprétation pour les réunions de groupes régionaux et autres groupes importants d'États Membres
 - iii) Amélioration de l'utilisation des installations de conférence à l'Office des Nations Unies à Nairobi
 - iv) Amélioration de l'utilisation du centre de conférences de la Commission économique pour l'Afrique
 - d) Demandes de dérogation au paragraphe 7 de la section I de la résolution 40/243 de l'Assemblée générale
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 - c) Principe de responsabilité dans la soumission des documents
 - d) Établissement des comptes rendus analytiques
 - e) Outils électroniques et nouveaux moyens de fournir des services aux États Membres
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5. Examen du projet de budget-programme pour l'exercice biennal 2006-2007 : Département de l'Assemblée générale et de la gestion des conférences
6. Technologies de l'information
7. Questions diverses
8. Adoption du rapport

[Les rapports sur les points 2 à 6 de l'ordre du jour figurent dans les documents ci-après : A/AC.172/2005/CRP.2¹, A/60/93 et A/60/112.]

[Conformément à la procédure établie par le Comité des conférences à sa 423e séance, tenue le 1er septembre 1999, ainsi qu'il est indiqué aux paragraphes 172 à 175 du document A/54/32 et modifié au paragraphe 10 du document A/56/32, les non-membres qui désirent participer en tant qu'observateurs sont invités à adresser une demande écrite à M. Imre Karbuczky, Secrétaire du Comité des conférences, (télécopie 1 (212) 963-7405; courriel karbuczky@un.org).]

¹ À paraître.

Conseil économique et social**Fonds des Nations Unies pour l'enfance****Conseil d'administration***Réunion d'information de présession*

Une réunion d'information de présession officieuse sur les grandes questions à l'ordre du jour de la deuxième session ordinaire du Conseil d'administration de l'UNICEF (28-30 septembre 2005), aura lieu le mardi 20 septembre 2005 de 10 à 13 heures dans la salle de conférence 3. L'ordre du jour provisoire annoté et l'organisation des travaux figurent dans le document E/ICEF/2005/10. Toutes les délégations sont invitées.

Deuxième session ordinaire de 2005

La deuxième session ordinaire du Conseil d'administration de l'UNICEF se tiendra du 28 au 30 septembre 2005 dans la salle de conférence 2.

L'ordre du jour provisoire annoté et l'organisation des travaux figurent dans le document E/ICEF/2005/10. La documentation pour la session est disponible sur le site Web de l'UNICEF (www.unicef.org/about/execboard/index_25993.html).

Les délégations sont priées de télécopier leurs pouvoirs au Bureau du Secrétaire du Conseil d'administration de l'UNICEF (télécopie 1 (212) 3326-7096) le plus tôt possible, mais au plus tard le vendredi 23 septembre 2005. Conformément à l'article 50 2) du règlement intérieur et à son annexe, les délégations d'observation sont également priées de communiquer, avec leurs pouvoirs, les points de l'ordre du jour provisoire sur lesquels elles sont intéressées à prendre la parole.

Autres réunions à venir

Les informations ci-dessous sont reproduites telles qu'elles ont été reçues et n'impliquent l'expression d'aucune opinion ou approbation de la part du Secrétariat de l'Organisation de Nations Unies.

Présentation et discussion du thème "Taudis du monde – Tendances et faits de la cible 11 des OMD concernant les taudis" (organisées par le Service des systèmes de suivi de l'ONU-Habitat, en collaboration avec l'Institut international de levés aériens et de sciences de la Terre (Pays-Bas))

Lundi 19 septembre 2005 de 10 heures à midi dans la salle de conférence 9.

Sixième Réunion ministérielle annuelle du Groupe des pays en développement sans littoral

Lundi 19 septembre 2005 de 15 à 18 heures dans la salle du Conseil de tutelle

Groupe des pays les moins avancés (transition sans heurt pour le retrait de la liste des pays les moins avancés et croissance soutenue : Plan d'action pour l'environnement du Cap-Vert)

Mardi 20 septembre 2005 de 10 heures à 13 heures dans la salle de conférence 4.

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Réunion d'information spéciale sur les travaux de la Cinquième Commission : jeudi 22 septembre de 15 à 18 heures; et

Réunion d'information spéciale sur les travaux de la Troisième Commission : vendredi 23 septembre de 10 à 13 heures.

[Une lettre à ce sujet, accompagnée d'une note d'information et d'une demande d'inscription, a été adressée à toutes les missions permanentes. La date limite pour les inscriptions est fixée au mardi 13 septembre. Pour de plus amples informations, prière de prendre contact avec Mme Maud Graham (bureau DC1-603, tél. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Deuxième consultation interinstitutions en préparation de l'Étude d'ensemble de 2006 du Programme d'action de Bruxelles en faveur des pays les moins avancés (organisée par le Bureau du Haut Représentant pour les pays les moins avancés, les pays en développement sans littoral et les petits États insulaires en développement)

Mercredi 28 septembre 2005 de 10 à 13 heures dans la salle de conférence 5 (Réunion privée).

Réunion d'information sur le thème "Évolution des questions relatives aux océans et au droit de la mer" (organisée par la Division des affaires maritimes et du droit de la mer du le Bureau des affaires juridiques, et l'Institut des Nations Unies pour la formation et la recherche)

Lundi 3 octobre 2005 de 10 à 13 heures; et

Mardi 4 octobre de 13 à 15 heures (la salle sera annoncée).

[Les membres des missions permanentes sont invités. Pour de plus amples informations, prière de prendre contact avec M. Vasu Vaitla ou M. Noel Johnston (tél. 1 (212) 963-9684 ou 963-9196; courriel vaitla@un.org).]

Avis**Manifestations parallèles dans le cadre de la Réunion plénière de haut niveau de l'Assemblée générale**

La liste des manifestations parallèles dans le cadre de la Réunion plénière de haut niveau de l'Assemblée générale peut être consultée à l'adresse suivante : www.un.org/summit2005.

Les adresses des versions linguistiques du site Web de la Réunion plénière de haut niveau sont les suivantes :

www.un.org/summit2005
www.un.org/arabic/summit2005
www.un.org/chinese/summit2005
www.un.org/french/summit2005
www.un.org/russian/summit2005
www.un.org/spanish/summit2005

Commission des limites du plateau continental

La Commission des limites du plateau continental poursuivra les travaux de sa seizième session jusqu'au vendredi 16 septembre 2005, à la Division des affaires maritimes et du droit de la mer (4e étage du bâtiment DC2), pour procéder à l'examen technique des dossiers au Laboratoire du Système d'information géographique et dans d'autres installations techniques.

Conseil de sécurité**Réunions d'information quotidiennes**

À partir du mardi 6 septembre 2005, et jusqu'à la fin du mois, la présidence du Conseil de sécurité tiendra des réunions d'information officielles tous les jours sur les travaux en cours du Conseil à l'intention des États Membres de l'Organisation des Nations Unies qui ne sont pas membres du Conseil, sauf quand des consultations officielles ne sont pas prévues. Les réunions d'information auront lieu à l'issue des consultations officielles.

Renseignements enregistrés

On peut obtenir des renseignements sur les séances et les consultations plénières imprévues du Conseil de sécurité en composant le numéro 1 (212) 963-8530.

Conférence en vue de faciliter l'entrée en vigueur du Traité d'interdiction complète des essais nucléaires

La Conférence en vue de faciliter l'entrée en vigueur du Traité d'interdiction complète des essais nucléaires aura lieu du 21 au 23 septembre 2005. La Conférence s'ouvrira le mercredi 21 septembre à 15 heures dans la salle du Conseil de tutelle. Les demandes concernant la liste provisoire des orateurs peuvent être adressées à Mme Bertha Ortiz, Département des affaires de désarmement (tél. 1 (212) 963-0846; télécopie 1 (212) 963-8892; bureau S-3140). Il est rappelé aux délégations que les pouvoirs doivent être soumis pour les représentants des États qui ratifient et le nom des représentants suppléants et conseillers, conformément à l'article 3 du projet de règlement intérieur (CTBT-Art. XIV/2005/1). Ces informations doivent être communiquées à Mme Kerstin Bihlmaier, Département des affaires de désarmement (tél. 1 (212) 963-2381; télécopie 1 (212) 963-8892; bureau S-3140C).]

Aperçu des séances

Vendredi 9 septembre 2005

Conseil de sécurité

5257e séance (privée) *Rencontre entre le Conseil de sécurité et les pays qui fournissent des contingents à la Mission des Nations Unies en Éthiopie et en Érythrée, organisée conformément aux sections A et B de l'annexe II de la résolution 1353 (2001)*

Le Conseil de sécurité se réunit à huis clos. À l'issue de la séance, le communiqué ci-après est émis par les soins du Secrétaire général, conformément à l'article 55 du règlement intérieur provisoire du Conseil :

"Le 9 septembre 2005, le Conseil de sécurité, conformément aux sections A et B de l'annexe II de sa résolution 1353 (2001), a tenu sa 5257e séance privée avec les pays qui fournissent de contingents à la Mission des Nations Unies en Éthiopie et en Érythrée (MINUEE).

"Le Conseil de sécurité et les pays fournisseurs de contingents ont entendu un exposé de M. Legwaila Joseph Legwaila, Représentant spécial du Secrétaire général pour l'Éthiopie et l'Érythrée, conformément à l'article 39 du règlement intérieur provisoire du Conseil."

Assemblée générale

Cinquante-neuvième session

Cinquième Commission

Deuxième partie de la reprise de session

60e séance *Budget-programme de l'exercice biennal 2004-2005* [108]

La Commission reprend l'examen de ce point.

Incidences sur le budget-programme du projet de résolution A/59/L.69/Rev.1 : Une Assemblée générale renforcée et revitalisée

Le Contrôleur présente le rapport du Secrétaire général (A/C.5/59/35/Rev.1).

Le Président par intérim du Comité consultatif pour les questions administratives et budgétaires présente le rapport connexe de ce comité (A/59/910).

Le Vice-Président de la Commission présente le projet de décision, qui paraîtra sous la cote A/C.5/59/L.80.

À la suite d'une suspension de la séance, le représentant du Royaume-Uni (au nom de l'Union européenne) modifie le projet de décision.

Avant l'examen du projet de décision, tel qu'il a été modifié oralement, les représentants du Japon et de l'Égypte prennent la parole.

Sans procéder à un vote, la Commission adopte le projet de décision, tel qu'il a été modifié oralement.

La Commission termine ainsi l'examen de cette question.

Examen de l'efficacité du fonctionnement administratif et financier de l'Organisation des Nations Unies [107]

La Commission reprend l'examen de ce point de l'ordre du jour.

La Commission est saisie du projet de décision A/C.5/59/L.79 présenté par le Vice-Président.

Avant l'examen du projet de décision, des déclarations sont faites par les représentants des États-Unis, de Cuba, du Royaume-Uni (au nom de l'Union européenne), du Mexique et de l'Inde.

Sans procéder à un vote, la Commission adopte le projet de décision.

La Commission termine ainsi l'examen de cette question.

Clôture des travaux de la Cinquième Commission durant la deuxième partie de la reprise de la cinquante-neuvième session de l'Assemblée générale

Le Vice-Président de la Commission fait une déclaration finale et prononce la clôture des travaux de la Cinquième Commission durant la deuxième partie de la reprise de la cinquante-neuvième session de l'Assemblée générale.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Traités multilatéraux déposés auprès du Secrétaire général]

Ouverture à la signature

Convention internationale pour la répression des actes de terrorisme nucléaire

**Siège de l'Organisation des Nations Unies
(13 avril 2005)**

La Convention susmentionnée a été adoptée le 13 avril 2005 au cours de la 91^e réunion plénière de l'Assemblée générale par la résolution A/RES/59/290. Conformément à l'article 24, cette Convention sera ouverte à la signature de tous les États du 14 septembre 2005 au 31 décembre 2006 au Siège de l'Organisation des Nations Unies à New York. La Convention sera ouverte à la signature le premier jour de la *Cérémonie des traités Thème 2005 : Faire face aux défis mondiaux*.

Le Secrétaire général saisit cette occasion pour rappeler que, conformément à la pratique internationale établie, seuls les chefs d'État, les chefs de Gouvernement ou les Ministres des affaires étrangères sont habilités, de par leurs fonctions, à signer un traité au nom d'un État sans avoir à produire des pleins pouvoirs à cet effet. Tous les autres représentants désirant signer un traité doivent être munis des pleins pouvoirs requis, délivrés et signés par l'une de ces autorités, qui autorisent expressément un représentant nommé à signer le traité spécifié.

Le Secrétaire général serait obligé aux États qui souhaitent signer la Convention de bien vouloir notifier et fournir à l'avance une copie des pleins pouvoirs exigés à la Section des traités, Bureau des affaires juridiques, Organisation des Nations Unies à New York (tél. 1 (212) 963-5047; télécopie 1 (212) 963-3693; courriel treaty@un.org).

Pour plus d'information concernant les pleins pouvoirs, on peut se reporter au Manuel des traités sur le site Web du Recueil des Traités des Nations Unies, qui peut être consulté à l'adresse ci-après : untreaty.un.org.

Cérémonie de signature et de dépôt des traités

Traités multilatéraux : Pour une participation universelle
Thème 2005 : Faire face aux défis mondiaux

Siège de l'Organisation des Nations Unies
(14-16 septembre 2005)

La cérémonie de signature et de dépôt de traités aura lieu au Siège de l'Organisation des Nations Unies du 14 au 16 septembre 2005 durant l'Assemblée générale. Il est possible de remplir des formalités à l'égard de tout autre traité déposé auprès du Secrétaire général en plus des 32 traités qui seront mis en avant lors de la cérémonie de cette année. La publication "Traités multilatéraux : Pour une participation universelle - Thème 2005 : Faire face aux défis mondiaux" peut être consultée sur le site Web de la collection des traités des Nations Unies (<http://untreaty.un.org>) et sera distribuée à toutes les Missions permanentes à New York aussitôt que possible. Conformément à la pratique internationale établie, seuls les chefs d'État, les chefs de Gouvernement et les ministres des affaires étrangères sont habilités *ès qualités* à signer des traités au nom des États sans avoir à produire de pleins pouvoirs à cet effet. Tous les autres représentants désirant signer des traités doivent être munis de pleins pouvoirs émanant de l'une de ces autorités et autorisant expressément la signature des traités indiqués par un représentant dûment habilité. De même, les instruments de ratification, d'acceptation, d'approbation ou d'adhésion doivent être émis et signés par lesdites autorités.

Les délégations qui souhaitent remplir des formalités à l'égard des traités durant la cérémonie sont priées de contacter la Section des traités aussi à l'avance que possible afin que les dispositions nécessaires soient prises.

Les dispositions nécessaires, notamment la couverture par les médias, seront prises pour assurer toute la solennité voulue à ces actes. De plus amples informations concernant l'exigence des pleins pouvoirs et le dépôt d'instruments de ratification, d'acceptation, d'approbation ou d'adhésion (y compris des modèles d'instrument) figurent dans le *Manuel des traités*.

Autres annonces

Les informations ci-dessous sont reproduites telles qu'elles ont été reçues et n'impliquent l'expression d'aucune opinion ou approbation de la part du Secrétariat de l'Organisation de Nations Unies.

Réunion de prière à la veille de l'ouverture de la soixantième session de l'Assemblée générale (organisée par la Mission permanente d'observation du Saint-Siège et l'Archidiocèse de New York)

Lundi 12 septembre 2005 à 17 heures, à l'Église Sainte-Famille (315, 47^e Rue Est).

[Tous sont invités. Pour de plus amples informations, prière de prendre contact avec la Mission permanente d'observation du Saint-Siège (tél. 1 (212) 370-7885).]

Manifestation consacrée aux traités pour la ratification des conventions fondamentales de l'OIT (organisée par l'Organisation internationale du Travail)

Du mercredi 14 au vendredi 16 septembre 2005, dans la Salle de signature de la Section des traités (S-3205).

[Les États Membres de l'OIT qui souhaitent profiter de l'occasion de la Réunion plénière de haut niveau de l'Assemblée générale pour signer les conventions fondamentales de l'OIT ou déposer un instrument de ratification sont priés de prendre contact avec le bureau de l'OIT auprès de l'Organisation des Nations Unies à New York (tél. 1 (212) 697-0150; télécopie 1 (212) 697-5218), le plus tôt possible, afin que les dispositions nécessaires soient prises.]

Activité parallèle sur le thème "Réforme humanitaire et Fonds de réponse de secours central" avec le Secrétaire général adjoint aux affaires humanitaires et les États Membres intéressés (coparrainée par les Missions permanentes de l'Afrique du Sud, du Luxembourg, du Mexique et de la Suède)

Jeudi 15 septembre 2005 de 15 à 17 heures dans la salle de conférence 7.

[Les États Membres qui souhaitent prendre la parole au cours de l'activité doivent prendre contact avec Mme Hee-Kyong Yoo (courriel yoo@un.org; tél. 1 (212) 963-9682), avant le mardi 13 septembre.]

Informations générales

Présidents des groupes régionaux

Les renseignements ci-après concernant la présidence des groupes régionaux pendant le mois de septembre 2005 ont été communiqués au Secrétariat :

États d'Afrique :

Mozambique
S.E. M. Filipe Chidumo

États d'Asie :

Chine
M. Wang Guangya

États d'Europe orientale :

Ex-République yougoslave de Macédoine
S.E. M. Igor Dzundev

États d'Amérique latine et des Caraïbes :

République bolivarienne du Venezuela
S.E. M. Fermin Toro Jiménez

États d'Europe occidentale et autres États :

Australie
S.E. M. John Dauth

Sites Web*Présidence de l'Assemblée générale :*

www.un.org/arabic/ga/president
www.un.org/chinese/ga/president
www.un.org/ga/president
www.un.org/french/ga/president
www.un.org/russian/ga/58/president
www.un.org/spanish/ga/president

Assemblée générale :

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www.un.org/chinese/ga
www.un.org/ga
www.un.org/french/ga
www.un.org/russian/ga
www.un.org/spanish/ga

Département de l'Assemblée générale et de la gestion des conférences :

www.un.org/Depts/DGACM/index_arabic.htm
www.un.org/Depts/DGACM/index_chinese.htm
www.un.org/Depts/DGACM/index_eng.htm
www.un.org/Depts/DGACM/index_french.htm
www.un.org/Depts/DGACM/index_russian.htm
www.un.org/Depts/DGACM/index_spanish.htm

Retransmission sur le Web des Nations Unies :

www.un.org/webcast

Présidence du Conseil de sécurité :

www.un.org/Docs/sc/presidency/
www.un.org/french/docs/sc/presidency/
www.un.org/spanish/docs/presidency/

Conseil de sécurité :

www.un.org/arabic/sc/
www.un.org/chinese/aboutun/prinorgs/sc/
www.un.org/french/docs/cs/
www.un.org/sc/
www.un.org/russian/sc/
www.un.org/spanish/docs/sc/

Comité du Conseil de sécurité créé par la résolution 1373 (2001) concernant la lutte antiterroriste :

www.un.org/arabic/documents/SCCommittees/1373
www.un.org/chinese/aboutun/prinorgs/sc/committees/1373/1373.htm
www.un.org/docs/sc/committees/1373
www.un.org/french/docs/sc/committees/1373
www.un.org/russian/document/scdocs/committees/1373
www.un.org/spanish/docs/comites/1373/index.html

Conseil économique et social :

www.un.org/arabic/ecosoc/
www.un.org/esa/coordination/ecosoc/
www.un.org/french/ecosoc/
www.un.org/russian/ecosoc
www.un.org/spanish/documents/esc/index.htm
www.un.org/chinese/ecosoc/2004/index.html

Département des affaires économiques et sociales :
www.un.org/esa

Présidence de l'Union européenne :
<http://europa-cu-un.org>

Journal des Nations Unies :
www.un.org/Docs/journal/En/lateste.pdf
www.un.org/Docs/journal/Fr/latestf.pdf

Liste quotidienne des documents publiés au Siège

À l'exception des publications destinées à la vente et des documents publiés par le Département de l'information, on peut se procurer, dans la version électronique du présent numéro du Journal, les documents officiels de la liste suivante par liens hypertexte au Système de diffusion électronique des documents de l'ONU. La liste contient les documents publiés à 14 heures, le 9 septembre 2005.

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A/59/908	Point 56 n) — Coopération entre l'Organisation des Nations Unies et les organisations régionales et autres : coopération entre l'Organisation des Nations Unies et l'Organisation pour la sécurité et la coopération en Europe — Lettre datée du 2 septembre 2005, adressée au Président de l'Assemblée générale par le Représentant permanent de la Slovénie auprès de l'Organisation des Nations Unies [A A C E F R]
A/59/909	Points 56 j) et 145 — Coopération entre l'Organisation des Nations Unies et les organisations régionales et autres : coopération entre l'Organisation des Nations Unies et l'Union interparlementaire — Rapport du Comité des relations avec le pays hôte — Lettre datée du 6 septembre 2005, adressée au Secrétaire général par le Représentant permanent de Cuba auprès de l'Organisation des Nations Unies [A A C E F R]
A/RES/59/294	Point 108 — Questions spéciales et questions relatives au budget-programme de l'exercice biennal 2004-2005 [A A C E F R]
A/RES/59/295	Point 108 — Plan-cadre d'équipement [A A C E F R]
A/RES/59/296	Point 123 — Aspects administratifs et budgétaires du financement des opérations de maintien de la paix des Nations Unies : questions concernant l'ensemble des opérations [A A C E F R]
A/RES/59/301	Point 123 — Compte d'appui aux opérations de maintien de la paix [A A C E F R]

Soixantième session

- A/60/164 Points 107 et 109 de l'ordre du jour provisoire — Prévention du crime et justice pénale — Mesures visant à éliminer le terrorisme international — Intensification de la coopération internationale et de l'assistance technique en vue de prévenir et de combattre le terrorisme — Rapport du Secrétaire général [A A C E F R]
- A/60/193* Nouveau tirage pour raisons techniques [arabe (seulement)]
- A/60/208 Point 49 de l'ordre du jour provisoire — 2001-2010 : Décennie pour faire reculer le paludisme dans les pays en développement, particulièrement en Afrique — Note du Secrétaire général [A A C E F R]
- A/60/214 Point 61 de l'ordre du jour provisoire — Vers des partenariats mondiaux — Renforcement de la coopération entre l'Organisation des Nations Unies et tous les partenaires concernés, en particulier le secteur privé — Rapport du Secrétaire général [A A C E F R]
- A/60/222 Point 89 de l'ordre du jour provisoire — Question de l'Antarctique — Rapport du Secrétaire général [A A C E F R]
- A/60/286 Point 73 b) de l'ordre du jour provisoire — Questions relatives aux droits de l'homme : questions relatives aux droits de l'homme, y compris les divers moyens de mieux assurer l'exercice effectif des droits de l'homme et des libertés fondamentales — Le droit au développement — Rapport du Secrétaire général [A A C E F R]
- A/60/294 Point 33 de l'ordre du jour provisoire — Rapport du Comité spécial chargé d'enquêter sur les pratiques israéliennes affectant les droits de l'homme du peuple palestinien et des autres Arabes des territoires occupés — Travaux du Comité spécial chargé d'enquêter sur les pratiques israéliennes affectant les droits de l'homme du peuple palestinien et des autres Arabes des territoires occupés — Rapport du Secrétaire général [A A C E F R]
- A/60/298 Point 33 de l'ordre du jour provisoire — Rapport du Comité spécial chargé d'enquêter sur les pratiques israéliennes affectant les droits de l'homme du peuple palestinien et des autres Arabes des territoires occupés — Le Golan syrien occupé — Rapport du Secrétaire général [A A C E F R]
- A/60/313 Points 48 et 121 de l'ordre du jour provisoire — Application et suivi intégrés et coordonnés des textes issus des grandes conférences et réunions au sommet organisées par les Nations Unies dans les domaines économique et social et dans les domaines connexes — Suite donnée aux textes issus du Sommet du Millénaire — Lettres identiques datées du 22 août 2005, adressées au Secrétaire général et au Président de l'Assemblée générale par le Représentant permanent de l'Indonésie auprès de l'Organisation des Nations Unies [A A C E F R]
- A/60/334 Point 7 de l'ordre du jour provisoire — Organisation des travaux, adoption de l'ordre du jour et répartition des questions inscrites à l'ordre du jour — Lettre datée du 2 septembre 2005, adressée au Secrétaire général par le Représentant permanent du Paraguay auprès de l'Organisation des Nations Unies [A A C E F R]

Deuxième Commission

- A/C.2/60/L.1 Organisation des travaux de la Deuxième Commission — Note du Secrétariat [A A C E F R]

Conseil de sécurité**Documents**

S/2005/563

Lettre datée du 2 septembre 2005, adressée au Président du Conseil de sécurité par le Secrétaire général [A A C E F R]

Secrétariat

ST/AI/2005/11

Instruction administrative portant modification de l'instruction administrative ST/AI/2000/9 [anglais F (seulement)]

ST/IC/2005/41

Circulaire — Examens d'aptitudes linguistiques de janvier et mai 2006 [anglais F (seulement)]

Communications à la rédaction

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Programme of meetings and agenda

Official meetings

Tuesday, 13 September 2005

Security Council

10 a.m. 5259th meeting Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia

Report of the Secretary-General on Ethiopia and Eritrea (S/2005/553 and S/2005/553/Add.1)

Morning¹ 5260th meeting Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in Afghanistan

Morning² Consultations of the whole (closed) Consultations Room

Consideration of the draft report of the Security Council to the General Assembly
Other matters

¹ To be held immediately following the adjournment of the 5259th meeting.

² To be held immediately following the adjournment of the 5260th meeting.

Security Council

The Security Council will hold a meeting of Heads of State and Government on Wednesday, 14 September 2005, at 11.20 a.m. in the Security Council Chamber, in connection with the agenda item "Threats to International Peace and Security".



General Assembly**Fifty-ninth session**

3 p.m.	118th plenary meeting	General Assembly Hall
	1. Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields [45]; Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit	[55]
	2. Minute of silent prayer or meditation	[2]
	3. Closing of the fifty-ninth session	

General Assembly**Sixtieth session**

4 p.m.	1st plenary meeting ¹	General Assembly Hall
	1. Opening of the session by the President of the General Assembly	
	2. Minute of silent prayer or meditation	
	3. Appointment of the members of the Credentials Committee	
	4. Organization of work of the sixtieth regular session of the General Assembly: letter from the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences (A/60/344)	

General Committee

Afternoon ²	1st meeting	Conference Room 4
	Organization of work of the sixtieth session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items: memorandum of the Secretary-General (A/BUR/60/1)	

¹ With the concurrence of the Presidents of the General Assembly, seating protocol for the fifty-ninth session will remain for this meeting.

² To be held immediately following the adjournment of the 1st plenary meeting of the sixtieth session of the General Assembly.

General Assembly**Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions**

10.30 a.m.–1 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3–6 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Revised budget for the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti (MINUSTAH) for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006	

General Assembly

Sixtieth session

High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly

(14-16 September 2005)

The provisional list of speakers (No. 4) for the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly is now available at the General Assembly Affairs Branch (rooms S-2925 and S-2940B). The provisional list of speakers (No. 4) has also been sent by facsimile directly to the Permanent Missions (Office of the Permanent Representative).

Delegations are reminded that, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 59/291 of 15 April 2005, statements are limited to five minutes.

Separate meeting on Financing for Development

(14 September 2005)

Copies of the list of speakers for the separate meeting on Financing for Development are available at the General Assembly Affairs Branch (room S-2925) (see p. 5).

To accommodate all the speakers, statements in the separate meeting on Financing for Development are limited to three minutes.

Interactive round-table sessions

(14-16 September 2005)

Copies of the composition of the four round-tables are available at the General Assembly Affairs Branch (room S-2950A). For information in this regard, please contact Ms. Lotta Tahtinen (tel. 1 (917) 367-2212) (see p. 9).

General Assembly

Sixtieth session

General debate

(17-23 September 2005, 26-28 September 2005)

The provisional list of speakers (No. 3) for the general debate of the sixtieth regular session of the General Assembly is now available at the General Assembly Affairs Branch (rooms S-2925 and S-2940B). The provisional list of speakers (No. 3) has also been sent by fax to the Permanent Missions (Office of the Permanent Representative).

Delegations are reminded that in accordance with the practice at recent sessions of the General Assembly, a voluntary 15-minute time limit should be observed during the general debate. The list of speakers was prepared on the basis of this 15-minute time limit. To help speakers in the general debate respect the time limit, a mechanism will be installed at the rostrum of the General Assembly Hall.

Other meetings

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Tuesday, 13 September 2005

Group of 77 (on the draft outcome document of the High-level Plenary Meeting) (at the ambassadorial level)

9–10 a.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 8

Informal consultations of the “core group” on the draft outcome document for the High-level Plenary Meeting of September 2005 (A/59/HLPM/CRP.1/Rev.2) (chaired by the President of the General Assembly)

10 a.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 4

Second ASEAN-UN Summit

11 a.m.–12 noon. Closed meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/News/pressg/conf.htm.

Tuesday, 13 September 2005

Room S-226

10.15 a.m. H.E. Mr. John Howard, Prime Minister of Australia

12 noon Press briefing by the Spokesman

12.15 p.m.¹ Mr. Kofi Annan, Secretary-General of the United Nations

2 p.m. H.E. Mr. Jan Eliasson (Sweden), President of the sixtieth session of the General Assembly

5.30 p.m. Ms. Benita Ferrero-Waldner, European Union External Relations and European Neighbourhood Policy Commissioner; and Mr. Louis Michel, European Union Development and Humanitarian Affairs Commissioner (on the European Union's commitment to and contributions towards achieving the United Nations Millennium Development Goals)

¹ To be confirmed.

Forthcoming official meetings

Wednesday, 14 September 2005

General Assembly

Sixtieth session

9 a.m. 2nd plenary meeting General Assembly Hall

High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly (1st meeting)

Opening of the High-level Plenary Meeting: summary of the informal interactive hearings with representatives of non-governmental organizations, civil society organizations and the private sector (A/60/331)

Minute of silent prayer or meditation

Statements by the two Co-Chairpersons of the High-level Plenary Meeting

Statement by the Secretary-General

Statement by His Excellency Mr. George W. Bush, President of the United States of America

Morning¹ 3rd plenary meeting General Assembly Hall

Separate meeting on Financing for Development

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/60/289)

(b) Summary by the President of the General Assembly of the High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development (A/60/219)

Addresses by:

1. His Excellency Mr. Vicente Fox, President of the United Mexican States and Head of the Delegation of the host country of the International Conference on Financing for Development
2. His Excellency Mr. Kofi A. Annan, Secretary-General
3. His Excellency Mr. Munir Akram, President of the Economic and Social Council
4. Mr. Paul Wolfowitz, President, World Bank
5. Mr. Rodrigo de Rato y Figaredo, Managing Director, International Monetary Fund
6. His Excellency The Most Honourable Percival James Patterson, O.N., P.C., Q.C., M.P., Prime Minister and Minister for Defence of Jamaica (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China)
7. His Excellency The Right Honourable Tony Blair, Prime Minister of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (on behalf of the European Union)

¹ To be held immediately following the adjournment of the 2nd plenary meeting of the General Assembly.

8. His Excellency Mr. Olusegun Obasanjo, President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria (on behalf of the African Union)
9. His Excellency Mr. Mathieu Kérékou, President of the Republic of Benin (in his capacity as Chairman of Coordinating Bureau of the Least Developed Countries)
10. His Excellency Mr. Néstor Carlos Kirchner, President of the Argentine Republic (in his capacity as Chairman of the Rio Group)
11. His Excellency The Honourable Navinchandra Ram Goolam, Prime Minister of the Republic of Mauritius (on behalf of the Alliance of the Small Islands Developing States)
12. His Excellency The Honourable Dr. Denzil Douglas, Prime Minister and Minister for Finance, Development, Planning and National Security of Saint Kitts and Nevis (on behalf of the Caribbean Community)
13. His Excellency Mr. Somsavat Lengsavad, Deputy-Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Lao People's Democratic Republic (on behalf of the Landlocked Developing Countries)
14. His Excellency Mr. Luiz Inácio Lula da Silva, President of the Federative Republic of Brazil
15. His Excellency Mr. Hu Jintao, President of the People's Republic of China
16. His Excellency Mr. Ricardo Lagos Escobar, President of the Republic of Chile
17. His Excellency Mr. Stjepan Mesić, President of the Republic of Croatia
18. His Excellency Mr. Festus G. Mogae, President of the Republic of Botswana
19. His Excellency Mr. Susilo Bambang Yudhoyono, President of the Republic of Indonesia
20. His Excellency Mr. Alejandro Toledo Manrique, President of the Republic of Peru
21. His Highness Sheikh Hamad bin Khalifa Al-Thani, Emir of the State of Qatar
22. His Excellency Mr. Thabo Mbeki, President of the Republic of South Africa
23. His Excellency Mr. Yoweri Kaguta Museveni, President of the Republic of Uganda
24. His Excellency Mr. Hugo Chávez Frías, President of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela
25. His Excellency Dato' Seri Abdullah Ahmad Badawi, Prime Minister of Malaysia
26. His Excellency Mr. Jan Peter Balkenende, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of the Netherlands (also on behalf of Denmark, Luxembourg, Norway and Sweden)

27. His Excellency Mr. José Luis Rodríguez Zapatero, President of the Government of the Kingdom of Spain
28. His Excellency Mr. Thaksin Shinawatra, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Thailand
29. His Excellency Mr. Dominique de Villepin, Prime Minister of the French Republic
30. His Excellency Mr. Norman José Caldera Cardenal, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Nicaragua
31. His Excellency Mr. M. Saifur Rahman, Minister of Finance and Planning of Bangladesh
32. His Excellency Mr. Victor Manuel Barbosa Borges, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Cooperation and Communities of Cape Verde
33. Her Excellency Mrs. Heidemarie Wiezcorek-Zeul, Federal Minister for Economic Cooperation and Development of Germany
34. His Excellency Mr. Nobutaka Machimura, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Japan
35. Mr. Andrew Natsios, Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development of the United States
36. His Excellency Mr. José Manuel Barroso, President of the European Commission
37. Mr. Kipkorir Aly Azad Rana, Deputy Director-General of the World Trade Organization
38. Ms. Leonor Briones, Director of Social Watch
39. Mr. Rajat Kumar Gupta, Senior Partner, Worldwide of McKinsey and Company, Inc.

3 p.m. 4th plenary meeting General Assembly Hall

High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly (2nd meeting)

Addresses by:

1. His Excellency Mr. Paul Kagame, President of the Republic of Rwanda
2. His Excellency Mr. Marc Ravalomanana, President of the Republic of Madagascar
3. His Excellency Mr. Mahmoud Ahmadinejad, President of the Islamic Republic of Iran
4. His Excellency Mr. Alejandro Toledo Manrique, President of the Republic of Peru
5. His Excellency Mr. Tommy Remengesau, Jr., President of the Republic of Palau
6. His Excellency Mr. Abdoulaye Wade, President of the Republic of Senegal
7. His Excellency Mr. John Agyekum Kufuor, President of the Republic of Ghana
8. His Excellency The Honourable Mwai Kibaki, President of the Republic of Kenya
9. His Excellency Mr. Bingu Wa Mutharika, President of the Republic of Malawi
10. His Excellency Mr. Ivan Gašparović, President of the Slovak Republic
11. His Excellency Mr. Fradique Bandeira Melo de Menezes, President of the Democratic Republic of Sao Tome and Principe

12. His Majesty Don Juan Carlos I, King of Spain
13. His Excellency Mr. Emomali Rakhmonov, President of the Republic of Tajikistan
14. Her Excellency Ms. Tarja Halonen, President of the Republic of Finland
15. Her Excellency Mrs. Vaira Vike-Freiberga, President of the Republic of Latvia
16. His Excellency Mr. Festus Gontebanye Mogae, President of the Republic of Botswana
17. His Excellency General Pervez Musharraf, President of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan
18. His Excellency Mr. Robert Gabriel Mugabe, President of the Republic of Zimbabwe
19. His Excellency Mr. Abdelaziz Bouteflika, President of the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria
20. His Excellency Mr. Néstor Carlos Kirchner, President of the Argentine Republic
21. His Excellency Mr. Benjamin William Mkapa, President of the United Republic of Tanzania
22. His Excellency Mr. László Sólyom, President of the Republic of Hungary
23. His Highness Sheikh Hamad bin Khalifa Al-Thani, Emir of the State of Qatar
24. His Excellency Mr. Paul Biya, President of the Republic of Cameroon
25. His Excellency Mr. Thabo Mbeki, President of the Republic of South Africa
26. His Excellency Mr. Olusegun Obasanjo, President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria
27. His Excellency Mr. Roh Moo-hyun, President of the Republic of Korea
28. His Excellency Mr. Vicente Fox, President of the United Mexican States
29. His Excellency Mr. Traian Basescu, President of Romania
30. His Excellency The Right Honourable Tony Blair, Prime Minister of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
31. His Excellency Mr. Jan Peter Balkenende, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of the Netherlands
32. His Excellency The Right Honourable Owen Seymour Arthur, M.P., Prime Minister and Minister for Finance and Economic Affairs of Barbados
33. His Excellency Mr. Bertie Ahern, Prime Minister of Ireland
34. His Excellency The Honourable Winston Baldwin Spencer, Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of Antigua and Barbuda
35. His Excellency The Honourable Dato' Seri Abdullah Ahmad Badawi, Prime Minister of Malaysia
36. His Excellency Mr. Gérard Latortue, Prime Minister of the Republic of Haiti
37. His Excellency Mr. Albert Pintat Santolària, Prime Minister of the Principality of Andorra
38. Her Excellency Begum Khaleda Zia, Prime Minister of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
39. His Excellency The Honourable Lawrence Gonzi, Prime Minister of the Republic of Malta
40. His Excellency Mr. Driss Jettou, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Morocco

Interactive round-table sessions

Round table 1

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Rooms 5 and 6

[Note: On Thursday, 15 September, round table 2 will be held from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and round table 3 from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Rooms 5 and 6. Round table 4 will take place on Friday, 16 September, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Rooms 5 and 6. Copies of the composition of the four round-tables are available at the General Assembly Affairs Branch (room S-2950A). For information in this regard, please contact Ms. Lotta Tahtinen (tel. 1 (917) 367-2212).]

[Note: Entry into Conference Rooms 5 and 6 is by special secondary access passes only. Accredited delegates and observers will be able to follow the proceedings of the round-table sessions via a close-circuit television in the overflow room (Conference Room 2).]

[Note: The list of side events on the occasion of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly can be consulted at the following address: www.un.org/summit2005.]

Main Committees

First Committee

The First Committee will hold its organizational meeting on Thursday, 29 September 2005, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 4, to consider its tentative programme of work and timetable (A/C.1/60/CRP.1).

The Committee will begin its substantive work by holding a general debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items from Monday, 3 October, to Friday, 7 October 2005. The list of speakers for the general debate is open. Delegations wishing to be inscribed are requested to kindly contact the secretariat of the First Committee (Ms. Veronika Bartosch (room S-2977G; tel. 1 (917) 367-9328)).

Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be forwarded to Ms. Cheryl Stoute, Secretary of the First Committee (room S-2977H; tel. 1 (212) 963-5595; fax 1 (212) 963-5305; e-mail leong@un.org).

General Assembly

Committee on Conferences

Substantive session

The substantive session of the Committee on Conferences will be held from 19 to 23 September 2005. The provisional agenda for the session will be as follows:

1. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters
2. Calendar of conferences and meetings
 - (a) Intersessional departures for 2005 and related matters
 - (b) Adoption of the draft biennial calendar of conferences and meetings for 2006-2007
 - (c) Improved utilization of conference-servicing resources and facilities
 - (i) Meeting statistics of United Nations organs, and consultations with/letters to bodies concerning utilization of the conference services available to them

- (ii) Provision of interpretation services to meetings of regional and other major groupings of Member States
- (iii) Improved utilization of conference facilities at the United Nations Office at Nairobi
- (iv) Improved utilization of the conference centre at the Economic Commission for Africa
- (d) Requests for exceptions to section I, paragraph 7, of General Assembly resolution 40/243
- (e) Consideration of the draft biennial calendar of conferences and meetings of subsidiary organs of the Economic and Social Council for 2006-2007
- 3. Improving the performance of the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management
 - (a) Integrated global management
 - (b) Workload standards and performance measures
 - (c) Responsibility and accountability system in documents submission
 - (d) Provision of summary records
 - (e) Electronic tools and innovative ways and means to provide services to Member States
- 4. Translation-and interpretation-related matters
- 5. Review of the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2006-2007: Department for General Assembly and Conference Management
- 6. Information technology
- 7. Other business
- 8. Adoption of the report

[Reports on agenda items 2 through 6 are contained in the following documents: A/AC.172/2005/CRP.2¹, A/60/93 and A/60/112.]

[In accordance with the procedure established by the Committee on Conferences at its 423rd meeting, on 1 September 1999, as reflected in paragraphs 172 to 175 of A/54/32, and amended in paragraph 10 of A/56/32, non-members who wish to participate as observers are invited to send a request in writing to Mr. Imre Karbuczky, Secretary of the Committee on Conferences (fax 1 (212) 963-7405; e-mail karbuczky@un.org).]

¹ To be issued.

Economic and Social Council

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board

Pre-session briefing

An informal pre-session information briefing on major issues before the UNICEF Executive Board at its second regular session (28-30 September 2005) will take place on Tuesday, 20 September 2005, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 3. The provisional annotated agenda and organization of work are contained in document E/ICEF/2005/10. All delegations are invited to attend.

Second regular session for 2005

The second regular session of the UNICEF Executive Board will take place from 28 to 30 September 2005 in Conference Room 2.

The provisional annotated agenda and organization of work are contained in document E/ICEF/2005/10. All documentation for the session is available on the UNICEF Web site at the following address: www.unicef.org/about/execboard/index_25993.html.

Delegations are requested to fax their credentials to the Office of the Secretary of the UNICEF Executive Board (fax 1 (212) 326-7096) as soon as possible, but no later than Friday, 23 September 2005. In accordance with rule 50 (2) of the rules of procedure and its annex, observer delegations are also requested to communicate, with their credentials, their special interest in the items of the provisional agenda on which they intend to intervene.

Other forthcoming meetings

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Presentation and discussion on "Slums of the world – Trends and facts of MDG Target 11 on slums" (organized by the Monitoring Systems Branch, UN-Habitat, in collaboration with the International Institute for Geo-Information Science and Earth Observation (Netherlands))

Monday, 19 September 2005, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 9.

Sixth Annual Ministerial Meeting of the Group of Landlocked Developing Countries

Monday, 19 September 2005, from 3 to 6 p.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

Group of the Least Developed Countries (smooth transition for graduation from least developed country status and sustained growth: Cape Verde Environment Plan of Action)

[Note: The meeting, which was scheduled for Tuesday, 20 September 2005, has been postponed until further notice.]

UNITAR briefings for new delegates to the General Assembly

General briefing on the work of the sixtieth session of the General Assembly: Tuesday and Wednesday, 20 and 21 September 2005, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m.;

Special briefing on the work of the Second Committee: Thursday, 22 September 2005, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.;

Special briefing on the work of the Fifth Committee: Thursday, 22 September, from 3 to 6 p.m.; and

Special briefing on the work of the Third Committee: Friday, 23 September, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

[A letter on this subject, including an information note and a nomination form, was addressed to all the permanent missions. The registration deadline is *today*, 13 September. For further information, please contact Ms. Maud Graham (room DC1-603; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Second inter-agency consultations to prepare for the 2006 Comprehensive Review of the Brussels Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries (organized by the Office of the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States (UN-OHRLLS))

Wednesday, 28 September 2005, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (Closed meeting).

Briefing on "Developments in ocean affairs and the law of the sea" (organized by the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs, and the United Nations Institute for Training and Research)

Monday, 3 October 2005, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.; and

Tuesday, 4 October, from 1 to 3 p.m. (Room to be announced).

[Members of Permanent Missions are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Vasu Vaitla or Mr. Noel Johnston (tel. 1 (212) 963-9684 or 963-9196; e-mail vaitla@un.org).]

Announcements**Language Web sites of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly**

The language Web sites of the High-level Plenary Meeting are the following:

www.un.org/summit2005

www.un.org/arabic/summit2005

www.un.org/chinese/summit2005

www.un.org/french/summit2005

www.un.org/russian/summit2005

www.un.org/spanish/summit2005

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf

The Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf will continue the work of its sixteenth session until Friday, 16 September 2005, at the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea (DC2 building, 4th floor), for a technical examination of submissions at the Geographic Information System Laboratory and other technical facilities.

Security Council**Daily informal briefings**

As from Tuesday, 6 September 2005, and for the rest of the month, the Presidency of the Security Council will conduct informal briefings daily on the current work of the Council for Member States of the United Nations, which are non-members of the Council, except on days on which no informal consultations are scheduled. The briefings will take place immediately following the adjournment of the informal consultations.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530.

Conference on Facilitating the Entry into Force of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty

The Conference on Facilitating the Entry into Force of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty will be held from 21 to 23 September 2005. The opening of the Conference will take place on Wednesday, 21 September, at 3 p.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. For enquiries regarding the provisional list of speakers, please contact Ms. Bertha Ortiz, Department for Disarmament Affairs (tel. 1 (212) 963-0846; fax 1 (212) 963-8892; room S-3140). Delegations are reminded that credentials should be issued for representatives of ratifying States and the name of alternate representatives and advisers, in accordance with rule 3 of the draft rules of procedures (CTBT-Art. XIV/2005/1). This information should be submitted to Ms. Kerstin Bihlmaier, Department for Disarmament Affairs (tel. 1 (212) 963-2381; fax 1 (212) 963-8892; room S-3140C).]

Summary of official meetings

Monday, 12 September 2005

Security Council

5258th meeting (closed) *Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Liberia pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B*

The Security Council met in private. At the close of the meeting, the following communiqué was issued by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Council:

"On 12 September 2005, the Security Council, pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B, held its 5258th meeting in private with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Liberia.

"The Security Council and the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Liberia heard a briefing under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure by Mr. Alan Doss, Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Liberia.

"Members of the Council, Mr. Doss and representatives of participating troop-contributing countries had a constructive exchange of views."

General Assembly

Fifty-ninth session

117th plenary meeting *Hurricane in the United States of America*

The President of the General Assembly, on behalf of the General Assembly, extended his deepest sympathy to the Government and the people of the United States of America for the tragic loss of life and material damage that have resulted from the recent hurricane in the Gulf States.

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations (Article 19 of the Charter) (A/59/874/Add.1) [113]

The General Assembly took note that Chad has made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter (A/59/874/Add.1).

Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly [52]

(a) *Draft resolution (A/59/L.69/Rev.1)*

(b) *Report of the Fifth Committee (A/59/912)*

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 52.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/59/L.69/Rev.1 (resolution 59/313).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 52.

Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and related matters: report of the Open-ended Working Group (A/59/47) [53]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 53.

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision contained in paragraph 19 of the report of the Open-ended Working Group on the Question of Equitable Representation on and Increase in the Membership of the Security Council and Other Matters related to the Security Council.

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 53.

Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations: Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe: letter from the Permanent Representative of Slovenia addressed to the President of the General Assembly (A/59/908) [56 (n)]

The General Assembly decided to defer consideration of sub-item (n) of agenda item 56 and to include in the draft agenda of its sixtieth session.

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (n) of agenda item 56 and of agenda item 56 as a whole.

Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations: report of the Fifth Committee (A/59/652/Add.3) [107]

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision contained in paragraph 6 of the report of the Fifth Committee (A/59/652/Add.3).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 107.

The Assembly thus concluded consideration of all the reports of the Fifth Committee.

Prevention of armed conflict [24]

The General Assembly decided to defer consideration of agenda item 24 and to include it in the draft agenda of its sixtieth session.

The Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 24.

The situation in Central America: progress in fashioning a region of peace, freedom, democracy and development [26]

The President recalled that in accordance with resolutions 58/117 of 17 December 2003 and 58/239 of 23 December 2003, the Secretary-General had been requested to submit a complete consolidated report on the implementation of all the relevant resolutions on Central America at the sixtieth session under this item and that, accordingly, agenda item 26 had been included in the draft agenda of the sixtieth session.

The Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 26

Question of Cyprus [29]

Armed aggression against the Democratic Republic of the Congo [30]

Question of the Falkland Islands (Malvinas) [31]

Armed Israeli aggression against the Iraqi nuclear installations and its grave consequences for the established international system concerning the peaceful uses of nuclear energy, the non-proliferation of nuclear weapons and international peace and security [32]

Consequences of the Iraqi occupation of and aggression against Kuwait [33]

Declaration of the Assembly of Heads of State and Government of the Organization of African Unity on the aerial and naval military attack against the Socialist People's Libyan Arab Jamahiriya by the present United States Administration in April 1986 [34]

The situation of democracy and human rights in Haiti [42]

The President recalled that in accordance with paragraph (b) of the annex to Assembly resolution 58/316 of 1 July 2004, the Assembly had decided to include agenda items 29 to 34 and 42 in the agenda of the fifty-ninth session and that, in accordance with the same resolution, these items had been included in the draft agenda of the sixtieth session upon notification by Member States.

Follow-up to the outcome of the special session on children [40]

The President recalled that in accordance with resolution 58/282 of 9 February 2004, the Assembly decided to convene a commemorative plenary meeting in 2007, on a date to be decided by the Assembly at the sixtieth session. Accordingly, agenda item 40 has been included in the draft agenda of the sixtieth session.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 40.

Follow-up to the outcome of the twenty-sixth special session: implementation of the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS [43]

The President recalled that in its resolution S-26/2 of the twenty-sixth special session the General Assembly decided to devote at least one full day of the annual session of the Assembly to review and debate a report of the Secretary-General on this item.

The General Assembly decided to include agenda item 43 in the draft agenda of its sixtieth session.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 43.

Elimination of unilateral extraterritorial coercive economic measures as a means of political and economic compulsion [48]

The President recalled that in accordance with paragraph (b) of the annex to Assembly resolution 58/316 of 1 July 2004, the Assembly had decided that agenda item 48 be considered every three years by the Assembly and that, accordingly, agenda item 48 will be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-second session.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 48.

Strengthening of the United Nations system [54]

The President recalled that in accordance with Assembly resolution 58/269 of 23 December 2003, the Assembly had requested the Secretary-General to submit a report at the sixtieth session of the Assembly on the implementation of the resolution and that accordingly agenda item 54 has been included in the draft agenda of the sixtieth session.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 54.

Improving the financial situation of the United Nations [110]

The General Assembly decided to defer consideration of agenda item 110 and to include it in the draft agenda of its sixtieth session.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 110.

Financing of the United Nations Mission in East Timor [128]

The General Assembly decided to defer consideration of agenda item 128 and to include it in the draft agenda of its sixtieth session.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 128.

The situation in the occupied territories of Azerbaijan [163]

The representative of Armenia made a statement in explanation of position.

The General Assembly decided to defer consideration of agenda item 163 and to include it in the draft agenda of its sixtieth session.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 163.

Agenda items remaining for consideration during the fifty-ninth session of the General Assembly

The President recalled that the following agenda items, on which action had been taken by the General Assembly at previous plenary meetings, still remained for consideration during the fifty-ninth session of the Assembly:

- Item 7 Notification by the Secretary-General under Article 12, paragraph 2, of the Charter of the United Nations

- Item 10 Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization
- Item 11 Report of the Security Council
- Item 12 Report of the Economic and Social Council
- Item 15 (c) Election of a member of the International Court of Justice
- Item 17 Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments
 - (h) Appointment of members of the Joint Inspection Unit
 - (i) Appointment of the Under-Secretary-General for Internal Oversight Services
- Item 19 Admission of new Members to the United Nations
- Item 20 Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples
- Item 27 The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security
- Item 36 The situation in the Middle East
- Item 37 Question of Palestine
- Item 39 Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance
- Item 75 United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East
- Item 84 Follow-up to and implementation of the outcome of the International Conference on Financing for Development
- Item 106 Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors
- Item 108 Programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005
- Item 109 Programme planning
- Item 111 Administrative and budgetary coordination of the United Nations with the specialized agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency
- Item 112 Pattern of conferences
- Item 113 Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations
- Item 114 Human resources management
- Item 115 Joint Inspection Unit

- Item 116 United Nations common system
- Item 117 United Nations pension system
- Item 118 Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services
- Item 119 Review of the implementation of General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B and 54/244
- Item 121 Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994
- Item 122 Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991
- Item 123 Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations
- Item 126 Financing of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus
- Item 127 Financing of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo
- Item 129 Financing of the United Nations Mission of Support in East Timor
- Item 130 Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea
- Item 131 Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia
- Item 132 Financing of the activities arising from Security Council resolution 687 (1991)
- Item 133 Financing of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo
- Item 134 Financing of the United Nations Mission in Liberia
- Item 135 Financing of the United Nations peacekeeping forces in the Middle East
- Item 136 Financing of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone
- Item 137 Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara
- Item 146 International Criminal Court
- Item 153 Financing of the United Nations Operation in Burundi

Item 154 Financing of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire

Item 164 Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan

The President recalled that these items, with the exception of sub-items (h) and (i) of agenda item 17, agenda item 117 and agenda item 119, had been included in the provisional agenda of the sixtieth session of the Assembly.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of the aforementioned items.

Summary of meetings held away from Headquarters

Monday, 12 September 2005

Convention on the Rights of the Child

Committee on the Rights of the Child

Fortieth session

United Nations Office at Geneva

1053rd meeting

Opening of the session

Adoption of the agenda [1]

The Committee opened its fortieth session and adopted its provisional agenda, as contained in document CRC/C/151.

The Committee was then addressed by Ms. Maria Francisca Ize-Charrin, Chief, Treaties and Commission Branch.

Day of general discussion [7]

Methods of work of the Committee [6]

The Committee discussed agenda items 7 and 6 in closed session.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Opening for signature

International Convention for the Suppression of Acts of Nuclear Terrorism

United Nations Headquarters
(13 April 2005)

The above Convention was adopted on 13 April 2005 during the 91st plenary meeting of the General Assembly by resolution A/RES/59/290. In accordance with its article 24, the Convention shall be open for signature by all States from 14 September 2005 until 31 December 2006 at United Nations Headquarters in New York. The Convention will be open for signature on the first day of the *Focus 2005 Treaty Event: Responding to Global Challenges*.

The Secretary-General would be obliged if States wishing to sign the Convention could notify, and provide copies of the required full powers in advance to the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs, at United Nations Headquarters in New York (tel. 1 (212) 963-5047; fax 1 (212) 963-3693; e-mail treaty@un.org).

For more information on full powers, please refer to the Treaty Handbook on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site, which can be accessed at the following address: untreaty.un.org.

The Secretary-General takes this opportunity to recall that, under established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered, by virtue of their functions, to sign a treaty on behalf of a State without having to produce full powers to that effect. Other representatives wishing to sign a treaty must be in possession of appropriate full powers, which expressly authorize signature of a specified treaty by a named representative issued by one of these authorities.

Treaty event

Multilateral Treaty Framework: An invitation to Universal Participation Focus 2005: Responding to Global Challenges

United Nations Headquarters
(14-16 September 2005)

The Treaty Event will take place from 14 to 16 September during the General Assembly. Treaty actions may be undertaken with regard to any treaty deposited with the Secretary-General in addition to the 32 treaties being highlighted at this year's treaty event. The publication *Multilateral Treaty Framework: An invitation to Universal Participation – Focus 2005: Responding to Global Challenges* may be viewed in the United Nations Treaty Collection on the Internet at <http://untreaty.un.org> and will be circulated to all of the Permanent Missions in New York as soon as possible. Under the established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered, by virtue of their functions, to sign treaties on behalf of States without having to produce full powers to that effect. All other representatives wishing to sign treaties must be in possession of appropriate full powers which expressly authorize signature of specified treaties by a named representative, issued and signed by one of the above authorities. Likewise, instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession must be issued and signed by the same authorities.

Delegations wishing to undertake treaty actions during the treaty event are advised to contact the Treaty Section well in advance for appropriate arrangements to be made. Necessary facilities, including media coverage, will be made available for treaty actions to be undertaken in a solemn setting.

Further information concerning the requirements for full powers and the deposit of instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession (including model instruments) can be found in the *Treaty Handbook*.

Other announcements

The information below is reproduced as received and does not imply any opinion or endorsement by the Secretariat of the United Nations.

Treaty event for the ratification of the fundamental ILO conventions (organized by the International Labour Organization)

From Wednesday, 14, to Friday, 16 September 2005, in the Treaty Section Signature Room (S-3205).

[ILO Member States wishing to take advantage of the occasion of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly to sign or deposit an instrument of ratification of the fundamental ILO conventions are kindly requested to contact the ILO Office for the United Nations, New York (tel. 1 (212) 697-0150; fax 1 (212) 697-5218), as soon as possible, so that appropriate arrangements can be made.]

Side event on "Humanitarian reform and the Central Emergency Response Fund" with the Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and interested Member States (co-sponsored by the Permanent Missions of Luxembourg, Mexico, South Africa and Sweden)

Thursday, 15 September 2005, from 3 to 5 p.m. in Conference Room 7.

[Member States wishing to make a statement at the event should contact Ms. Hee-Kyong Yoo (e-mail yoo@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9682), by today, 13 September.]

Chairmen of regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of September 2005 has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:

Mozambique

H.E. Mr. Filipe Chidumo

Asian States:

China

H.E. Mr. Wang Guangya

Eastern European States:

The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

H.E. Mr. Igor Dzundev

Latin American and Caribbean States:

Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela

H.E. Mr. Fermín Toro Jiménez

Western European and other States:

Australia

H.E. Mr. John Dauth

With the exception of sales publications and public information material, hyperlinked official documents listed hereunder may be accessed through the Official Document System of the United Nations in the electronic version of the present Journal. The list contains documents issued by 2 p.m. on 12 September 2005.

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Main title</i>
General Assembly	Official Records
	Fifty-ninth session
A/59/47	Report of the Open-ended Working Group on the Question of Equitable Representation on and Increase in the Membership of the Security Council and Other Matters related to the Security Council — Supplement No. 47 [A C E F R S]

A/59/PV.113 Meeting held on 14 July 2005, 3 p.m. [C]

Sixtieth session

A/60/5/Add.5 Voluntary funds administered by the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees — Audited financial statements — For the year ended 31 December 2004 and Report of the Board of Auditors — Supplement No. 5E [A C E F R S]

General Assembly

Documents

Fifty-ninth session

A/59/652/Add.3 Item 107 — Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations — Report of the Fifth Committee [A C E F R S]

A/59/911-S/2005/568 Item 36 — The situation in the Middle East — Identical letters dated 8 September 2005 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Lebanon to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S]

A/RES/59/299 Item 123 — Financing of the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi, Italy [A C E F R S]

Fifth Committee

A/59/912 Items 52 and 108 — Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly — Programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005 — A strengthened and revitalized General Assembly — Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/59/L.69/Rev.1 — Statement submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly — Report of the Fifth Committee [A C E F R S]

A/C.5/59/L.80 Items 52 and 108 — Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly — Programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005 — Draft decision submitted by the Vice-Chairman following informal consultations — A strengthened and revitalized General Assembly [A C E F R S]

Sixtieth session

A/60/78/Add.1 Items 125 and 131 of the provisional agenda — Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2006-2007 — Joint Inspection Unit — Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on harmonization of the conditions of travel throughout the United Nations system — Note by the Secretary-General [A C E F R S]

A/60/120 Items 123 and 133 of the preliminary list — Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations — Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services — Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the inspection of programme and administrative management of the subregional offices of the Economic Commission for Africa [A C E F R S]

A/60/207 Items 46 and 69 of the provisional agenda — Follow-up to the outcome of the special session on children — Promotion and protection of the rights of the child — Follow-up to the special session of the General Assembly on children — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S]

A/60/218 Item 13 of the provisional agenda — The situation in Central America: progress in fashioning a region of peace, freedom, democracy and development — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S]

A/60/258	Item 14 of the provisional agenda — The situation in the Middle East — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S]
A/60/259	Item 44 of the provisional agenda — Global Agenda for Dialogue among Civilizations — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S]
A/60/268	Item 72 of the provisional agenda — Right of peoples to self-determination — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S]
A/60/289	Item 53 of the provisional agenda — Follow-up to and implementation of the outcome of the International Conference on Financing for Development — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S]
A/60/308	Item 57 of the provisional agenda — Groups of countries in special situations: specific actions related to the particular needs and problems of landlocked developing countries: outcome of the International Ministerial Conference of Landlocked and Transit Developing Countries and Donor Countries and International Financial and Development Institutions on Transit Transport Cooperation — Letter dated 25 August 2005 from the Permanent Representative of Paraguay to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General [A C E F R S]
A/60/332	Item 45 of the provisional agenda — Culture of peace — Letter dated 30 August 2005 from the Permanent Representative of Bahrain to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General [A C E F R S]
A/60/341-S/2005/567	Item 111 of the provisional agenda — Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization — Identical letters dated 29 August 2005 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S]
A/60/344	Items 7 and 128 of the provisional agenda — Organization of work, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items: reports of the General Committee — Pattern of conferences — Letter dated 8 September 2005 from the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences addressed to the President of the General Assembly [A C E F R S]
	General Committee
A/BUR/60/1	Organization of the sixtieth regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items — Memorandum by the Secretary-General [A C E F R S]
	Committee on Relations with the Host Country
A/AC.154/362	Letter dated 6 September 2005 from the Permanent Representative of Cuba to the United Nations addressed to the Chairman of the Committee [A C E F R S]

Security Council**Documents**

S/2005/15/Add.32	Summary statement by the Secretary-General on matters of which the Security Council is seized and on the stage reached in their consideration [A C E F R S]
A/60/341-S/2005/567	Identical letters dated 29 August 2005 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S]
A/59/911-S/2005/568	Identical letters dated 8 September 2005 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Lebanon to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S]

- S/Agenda/5257 Provisional agenda [A C E F R S]
Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
- S/AC.43/2005/14 Letter dated 15 August 2005 from the Permanent Representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo to the United Nations addressed to the Chairman of the Committee [A C E F R S]
- S/AC.44/2004/(02)/6/Add.1 Letter dated 4 August 2005 from the Permanent Representative of Malta to the United Nations addressed to the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) [A C E F R S]

**Convention on the Elimination of All Forms
of Discrimination against Women**

Documents

**Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination
against Women**

- CEDAW/C/MDV/2-3 Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 18 of the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women — Combined second and third periodic reports of States parties — Maldives [A C E F R S]

Secretariat

- ST/IC/2005/48 Information circular — Arrangements for admission to the premises at United Nations Headquarters during the sixtieth session of the General Assembly and additional arrangements for admission during the general debate, to be held from 17 to 23 September and 26 to 28 September 2005 [E]

Communications to the Editor

Material for inclusion in the *Journal* may be sent to room S-2370 (tel. 1 (212) 963-3888 and 963-6776; fax 1 (212) 963-4790; e-mail journal@un.org).

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Programme of meetings and agenda

Official meetings

Wednesday, 14 September 2005

Security Council

11.20 a.m. 5261st meeting Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Threats to international peace and security

General Assembly

Sixtieth session

9 a.m. 2nd plenary meeting General Assembly Hall

High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly (1st meeting)

Opening of the High-level Plenary Meeting: summary of the informal interactive hearings with representatives of non-governmental organizations, civil society organizations and the private sector (A/60/331)

Minute of silent prayer or meditation

Statements by the two Co-Chairpersons of the High-level Plenary Meeting

Statement by the Secretary-General

Statement by His Excellency Mr. George W. Bush, President of the United States of America

Morning¹ 3rd plenary meeting General Assembly Hall

Separate meeting on Financing for Development

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/60/289)

(b) Summary by the President of the General Assembly of the High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development (A/60/219)

¹ To be held immediately following the adjournment of the 2nd plenary meeting of the General Assembly.



Addresses by:

1. His Excellency Mr. Vicente Fox, President of the United Mexican States and Head of the Delegation of the host country of the International Conference on Financing for Development
2. His Excellency Mr. Kofi A. Annan, Secretary-General
3. His Excellency General Pervez Musharraf, President of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, Head of State of the country of the President of the Economic and Social Council for 2005
4. Mr. Paul Wolfowitz, President, World Bank
5. Mr. Rodrigo de Rato y Figaredo, Managing Director, International Monetary Fund
6. His Excellency The Most Honourable Percival James Patterson, O.N., P.C., Q.C., M.P., Prime Minister and Minister for Defence of Jamaica (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China)
7. His Excellency The Right Honourable Tony Blair, Prime Minister of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (on behalf of the European Union)
8. His Excellency Mr. Olusegun Obasanjo, President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria (on behalf of the African Union)
9. His Excellency Mr. Mathieu Kérékou, President of the Republic of Benin (in his capacity as Chairman of Coordinating Bureau of the Least Developed Countries)
10. His Excellency Mr. Néstor Carlos Kirchner, President of the Argentine Republic (in his capacity as Chairman of the Rio Group)
11. His Excellency The Honourable Navinchandra Ram Goolam, Prime Minister of the Republic of Mauritius (on behalf of the Alliance of the Small Islands Developing States)
12. His Excellency The Honourable Dr. Denzil Douglas, Prime Minister and Minister for Finance, Development, Planning and National Security of Saint Kitts and Nevis (on behalf of the Caribbean Community)
13. His Excellency Mr. Somsavat Lengsavad, Deputy-Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Lao People's Democratic Republic (on behalf of the Landlocked Developing Countries)
14. His Excellency Mr. Luiz Inácio Lula da Silva, President of the Federative Republic of Brazil
15. His Excellency Mr. Hu Jintao, President of the People's Republic of China
16. His Excellency Mr. Ricardo Lagos Escobar, President of the Republic of Chile
17. His Highness Sheikh Hamad bin Khalifa Al-Thani, Emir of the State of Qatar
18. His Excellency Mr. Stjepan Mesić, President of the Republic of Croatia
19. His Excellency Mr. Festus G. Mogae, President of the Republic of Botswana
20. His Excellency Mr. Susilo Bambang Yudhoyono, President of the Republic of Indonesia
21. His Excellency Mr. Alejandro Toledo Manrique, President of the Republic of Peru
22. His Excellency Mr. Thabo Mbeki, President of the Republic of South Africa

23. His Excellency Mr. Yoweri Kaguta Museveni, President of the Republic of Uganda
24. His Excellency Mr. Hugo Chávez Frías, President of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela
25. His Excellency Dato' Seri Abdullah Ahmad Badawi, Prime Minister of Malaysia
26. His Excellency Mr. Jan Peter Balkenende, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of the Netherlands (also on behalf of Denmark, Luxembourg, Norway and Sweden)
27. His Excellency Mr. José Luis Rodríguez Zapatero, President of the Government of the Kingdom of Spain
28. His Excellency Mr. Thaksin Shinawatra, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Thailand
29. His Excellency Mr. Dominique de Villepin, Prime Minister of the French Republic
30. His Excellency Mr. Norman José Caldera Cardenal, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Nicaragua
31. His Excellency Mr. M. Saifur Rahman, Minister of Finance and Planning of Bangladesh
32. His Excellency Mr. Ahmed Aboul Gheit, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Egypt
33. His Excellency Mr. Victor Manuel Barbosa Borges, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Cooperation and Communities of Cape Verde
34. Her Excellency Mrs. Heidemarie Wiecek-Zeul, Federal Minister for Economic Cooperation and Development of Germany
35. His Excellency Mr. Nobutaka Machimura, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Japan
36. Mr. Andrew Natsios, Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development of the United States
37. His Excellency Mr. José Manuel Barroso, President of the European Commission
38. Mr. Kipkorir Aly Azad Rana, Deputy Director-General of the World Trade Organization
39. Ms. Leonor Briones, Director of Social Watch
40. Mr. Rajat Kumar Gupta, Senior Partner, Worldwide of McKinsey and Company, Inc.

3 p.m. 4th plenary meeting General Assembly Hall

High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly (2nd meeting)

Addresses by:

1. His Excellency Mr. Paul Kagame, President of the Republic of Rwanda
2. His Excellency Mr. Marc Ravalomanana, President of the Republic of Madagascar
3. His Excellency Mr. Mahmoud Ahmadinejad, President of the Islamic Republic of Iran
4. His Excellency Mr. Alejandro Toledo Manrique, President of the Republic of Peru
5. His Excellency Mr. Tommy Remengesau, Jr., President of the Republic of Palau

6. His Excellency Mr. Abdoulaye Wade, President of the Republic of Senegal
7. His Excellency Mr. John Agyekum Kufuor, President of the Republic of Ghana
8. His Excellency The Honourable Mwai Kibaki, President of the Republic of Kenya
9. His Excellency Mr. Bingu Wa Mutharika, President of the Republic of Malawi
10. His Excellency Mr. Ivan Gašparović, President of the Slovak Republic
11. His Excellency Mr. Fradique Bandeira Melo de Menezes, President of the Democratic Republic of Sao Tome and Principe
12. His Majesty Don Juan Carlos I, King of Spain
13. His Excellency Mr. Emomali Rakhmonov, President of the Republic of Tajikistan
14. Her Excellency Ms. Tarja Halonen, President of the Republic of Finland
15. Her Excellency Mrs. Vaira Vike-Freiberga, President of the Republic of Latvia
16. His Excellency Mr. Festus Gontebanye Mogae, President of the Republic of Botswana
17. His Excellency General Pervez Musharraf, President of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan
18. His Excellency Mr. Robert Gabriel Mugabe, President of the Republic of Zimbabwe
19. His Excellency Mr. Abdelaziz Bouteflika, President of the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria
20. His Excellency Mr. Néstor Carlos Kirchner, President of the Argentine Republic
21. His Excellency Mr. Benjamin William Mkapa, President of the United Republic of Tanzania
22. His Excellency Mr. László Sólyom, President of the Republic of Hungary
23. His Highness Sheikh Hamad bin Khalifa Al-Thani, Emir of the State of Qatar
24. His Excellency Mr. Paul Biya, President of the Republic of Cameroon
25. His Excellency Mr. Thabo Mbeki, President of the Republic of South Africa
26. His Excellency Mr. Olusegun Obasanjo, President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria
27. His Excellency Mr. Roh Moo-hyun, President of the Republic of Korea
28. His Excellency Mr. Vicente Fox, President of the United Mexican States
29. His Excellency Mr. Traian Basescu, President of Romania
30. His Excellency The Right Honourable Tony Blair, Prime Minister of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
31. His Excellency Mr. Jan Peter Balkenende, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of the Netherlands
32. His Excellency The Right Honourable Owen Seymour Arthur, M.P., Prime Minister and Minister for Finance and Economic Affairs of Barbados
33. His Excellency Mr. Bertie Ahern, Prime Minister of Ireland
34. His Excellency The Honourable Winston Baldwin Spencer, Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of Antigua and Barbuda
35. His Excellency The Honourable Dato' Seri Abdullah Ahmad Badawi, Prime Minister of Malaysia

36. His Excellency Mr. Gérard Latortue, Prime Minister of the Republic of Haiti
37. His Excellency Mr. Albert Pintat Santolària, Prime Minister of the Principality of Andorra
38. Her Excellency Begum Khaleda Zia, Prime Minister of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
39. His Excellency The Honourable Lawrence Gonzi, Prime Minister of the Republic of Malta
40. His Excellency Mr. Driss Jettou, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Morocco

Interactive round-table session

Round table 1

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Rooms 5 and 6

Chairperson: H.E. The Honourable Mr. John Howard, M.P., Prime Minister of the Commonwealth of Australia

[*Note:* Entry into Conference Rooms 5 and 6 is by special secondary access passes only. Accredited delegates and observers will be able to follow the proceedings of the round-table sessions via a close-circuit television in the overflow room (*Conference Room 3*).]

[*Note:* The list of side events on the occasion of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly can be consulted at the following address: www.un.org/summit2005.]

General Assembly

Sixtieth session

High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly

(14–16 September 2005)

The provisional list of speakers (No. 4) for the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly is now available at the General Assembly Affairs Branch (rooms S-2925 and S-2940B). The provisional list of speakers (No. 4) has also been sent by facsimile directly to the Permanent Missions (Office of the Permanent Representative).

Delegations are reminded that, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 59/291 of 15 April 2005, statements are limited to five minutes.

General Assembly

Sixtieth session

General debate

(17-23 September 2005, 26-28 September 2005)

The provisional list of speakers (No. 3) for the general debate of the sixtieth regular session of the General Assembly is now available at the General Assembly Affairs Branch (rooms S-2925 and S-2940B). The provisional list of speakers (No. 3) has also been sent by fax to the Permanent Missions (Office of the Permanent Representative).

Delegations are reminded that in accordance with the practice at recent sessions of the General Assembly, a voluntary 15-minute time limit should be observed during the general debate. The list of speakers was prepared on the basis of this 15-minute time limit. To help speakers in the general debate respect the time limit, a mechanism will be installed at the rostrum of the General Assembly Hall.

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/News/pressg/conf.htm.

Wednesday, 14 September 2005**Room S-226**

10.15 a.m. H.E. Ms. Maria Mutagamba, Minister of State for Water of Uganda and Chair of the African Minister's Council on Water; H.E. Ms. Hilde F. Johnson, Minister for International Development of Norway; and Ms. Vanessa Tobin, Chief for Water, Environment and Sanitation, UNICEF (on a round-table discussion which will be held at UNICEF House today, 14 September, on the theme "Achieving the Millennium Development Goals for water, sanitation and hygiene in Africa with a gender perspective")

12 noon Press briefing by the Spokesman

12.45 p.m. H.E. Mr. Bertie Ahern, Prime Minister of Ireland

Conference Room 2

2.45 p.m. Heads of State and Government of France, Brazil, Chile, Spain, Germany and Algeria (on "Action against hunger and poverty: presentation of the 2005 New York Declaration on innovative sources of financing for development")

Forthcoming official meetings

Thursday, 15 September 2005

General Assembly

Sixtieth session

9 a.m. 5th plenary meeting General Assembly Hall

High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly (3rd meeting)

Addresses by:

1. His Excellency Mr. Ismail Omar Guelleh, President of the Republic of Djibouti
2. His Excellency Mr. Vladimir Vladimirovich Putin, President of the Russian Federation
3. His Excellency Mr. Levy Patrick Mwanawasa, President of the Republic of Zambia
4. His Excellency Mr. Alfredo Palacio, President of the Republic of Ecuador
5. His Excellency Army General Mr. François Bozizé, President of the Central African Republic
6. His Excellency Mr. Branko Crvenkovski, President of the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
7. His Excellency Mr. Jalal Talabani, President of the Republic of Iraq
8. His Excellency Mr. Alyaksandr Lukashenka, President of the Republic of Belarus
9. His Excellency Mr. Ricardo Lagos Escobar, President of the Republic of Chile
10. His Excellency Al Hadji Yahya Jammeh, President of the Republic of Gambia
11. His Excellency Mr. Amadou Toumani Touré, President of the Republic of Mali
12. His Excellency Mr. Luiz Inácio Lula da Silva, President of the Federative Republic of Brazil
13. His Excellency Mr. James Michel, President of the Republic of Seychelles
14. His Excellency Mr. Pierre Nkurunziza, President of the Republic of Burundi
15. His Excellency Mr. Hu Jintao, President of the People's Republic of China
16. His Excellency Mr. Cesare Antonio Gasperoni, Captain Regent on behalf of the Most Excellent Captains Regent of the Republic of San Marino
17. His Excellency Mr. Pedro Verona Rodrigues Pires, President of the Republic of Cape Verde
18. His Excellency Mr. Mikheil Saakashvili, President of Georgia
19. His Excellency The Honourable Ludwig Scotty, M.P., President of the Republic of Nauru
20. His Excellency Mr. Denis Sassou Nguesso, President of the Republic of the Congo
21. His Excellency Mr. Nambar Enkhbayar, President of Mongolia
22. His Excellency Mr. Manmohan Singh, Prime Minister of the Republic of India

23. His Excellency Mr. Meles Zenawi, Prime Minister of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia
24. His Excellency The Honourable Dr. Denzil Lewellyn Douglas, Prime Minister and Minister for Finance, Sustainable Development, Information and Technology, Tourism, Culture and Sports of Saint Kitts and Nevis
25. His Excellency Mr. Samdech Hun Sen, Prime Minister of the Royal Government of Cambodia
26. His Excellency The Honourable Tuilaepa Sailele Malielegaoi, Prime Minister, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade Minister for Finance of the Independent State of Samoa
27. His Excellency The Honourable Dr. Navinchandra Ramgoolam, Prime Minister of the Republic of Mauritius
28. His Excellency The Right Honourable Pakhalitha Bethuel Mosisi, Prime Minister and Minister for Defence and Public Service of the Kingdom of Lesotho
29. His Excellency Mr. Recep Tayyip Erdoğan, Prime Minister of the Republic of Turkey
30. His Excellency Mr. Jiří Paroubek, Prime Minister of the Czech Republic
31. His Excellency Mr. Anders Fogh Rasmussen, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Denmark
32. His Excellency The Most Honourable Percival James Patterson, O.N., P.C., Q.C., M.P., Prime Minister and Minister for Defence of Jamaica
33. His Excellency The Honourable Silvio Berlusconi, Prime Minister of the Republic of Italy
34. His Highness Sheikh Sabah Al-Ahmad Al-Jaber Al-Sabah, Prime Minister of the State of Kuwait
35. His Excellency Mr. Ariel Sharon, Prime Minister of the State of Israel
36. His Excellency Mr. Cellou Dalein Diallo, Prime Minister of the Republic of Guinea
37. His Excellency Mr. Dominique de Villepin, Prime Minister of the French Republic
38. His Excellency The Honourable Petrus Compton, Minister for External Affairs, International Trade and Civil Aviation of Saint Lucia
39. His Excellency Mr. Laurent Dona Fologo, Chairman of the Delegation of Côte d'Ivoire
40. His Excellency Vuk Drašković, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Serbia and Montenegro

3 p.m. 6th plenary meeting General Assembly Hall

High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly (4th meeting)

Addresses by:

1. His Serene Highness Prince Albert II, Sovereign Prince of the Principality of Monaco
2. His Excellency Mr. Viktor Yushchenko, President of Ukraine
3. His Excellency Mr. Teodoro Obiang Nguema Mbasogo, President of the Republic of Equatorial Guinea
4. His Excellency Mr. Kessai Note, President of the Republic of the Marshall Islands

5. His Excellency Mr. Hifikepunye Pohamba, President of the Republic of Namibia
6. His Excellency Mr. Valdas Adamkus, President of the Republic of Lithuania
7. His Excellency Mr. Janez Drnovšek, President of the Republic of Slovenia
8. His Excellency Mr. Armando Emilio Guebuza, President of the Republic of Mozambique
9. His Excellency Dr. Heinz Fischer, Federal President of the Republic of Austria
10. His Excellency Mr. Ivo Miro Jović, President of the Presidency of Bosnia and Herzegovina
11. His Excellency Mr. Georgi Parvanov, President of the Republic of Bulgaria
12. His Majesty Haji Sultan Hassanal Bolkiah Mu'izzaddin Waddaulah, Sultan and Yang Di Pertuan of Negara of Brunei Darussalam
13. His Majesty King Mswati III, Head of State of the Kingdom of Swaziland
14. His Excellency Colonel Azali Assoumani, President of the Union of the Comoros
15. His Excellency Mr. Hugo Chávez Frias, President of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela
16. His Excellency Mr. Tabaré Vázquez, President of the Eastern Republic of Uruguay
17. His Excellency El Hadj Omar Bongo Ondimba, President of the Gabonese Republic
18. His Excellency Mr. Mathieu Kérékou, President and Head of the Government of the Republic of Benin
19. His Excellency Mr. Arnold Rüütel, President of the Republic of Estonia
20. Her Excellency Mrs. Gloria Macapagal Arroyo, President of the Republic of the Philippines
21. His Excellency Mr. Tassos Papadopoulos, President of the Republic of Cyprus
22. Her Excellency Chandrika Bandaranaike Kumaratunga, President of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka
23. His Excellency Mr. Samuel Schmid, President of the Swiss Confederation
24. His Excellency Mr. Alfred Moisiu, President of the Republic of Albania
25. His Excellency Mr. Halldór Ásgrímsson, Prime Minister of the Republic of Iceland
26. His Excellency The Honourable Sir Allan Kemakeza, Prime Minister of Solomon Islands
27. His Royal Highness Prince Sultan Bin Abdulaziz Al-Saud, Crown Prince of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
28. His Excellency Mr. Junichiro Koizumi, Prime Minister of Japan
29. His Excellency Mr. Göran Persson, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Sweden
30. His Excellency Mr. Guy Verhofstadt, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Belgium
31. His Excellency The Honourable Said Wilbert Musa, Prime Minister and Minister for Finance, Defence and Public Service of Belize
32. Her Excellency Ms. Truong My Hoa, Vice-President of the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam

33. Her Excellency Mr. Ahmad Zia Massoud, Vice-President of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan
34. His Excellency Mr. Roberto de Almeida, President of the National Assembly of Angola
35. His Excellency Mr. Joschka Fischer, Deputy Federal Chancellor and Minister for Foreign Affairs of Germany
36. His Excellency Mr. Jean Asselborn, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs and Immigration of Luxembourg
37. His Excellency Lyonpo Khandu Wangchuk, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Bhutan
38. His Excellency Mr. Kassymzhomart Kemelevich Tokaev, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Kazakhstan
39. His Excellency Mr. Youssouf Ouédraogo, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Burkina Faso
40. Chairman of the delegation of Eritrea

Interactive round-table sessions

Round table 2

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Rooms 5 and 6

Chairperson: H.E. Mr. Aleksander Kwasniewski, President of the Republic of Poland

Round table 3

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Rooms 5 and 6

Chairperson: H.E. The Honourable Winston Baldwin Spencer, Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of Antigua and Barbuda

[*Note:* Round table 4 will take place on Friday, 16 September, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Rooms 5 and 6. No lists of speakers are maintained for the round tables. Copies of the composition of the round tables are available at the General Assembly Affairs Branch (room S-2950A). For information in this regard, please contact Ms. Lotta Tahtinen (tel. 1 (917) 367-2212).]

Main Committees

First Committee

The First Committee will hold its organizational meeting on Thursday, 29 September 2005, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 4, to consider its tentative programme of work and timetable (A/C.1/60/CRP.1).

The Committee will begin its substantive work by holding a general debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items from Monday, 3 October, to Friday, 7 October 2005. The list of speakers for the general debate is open. Delegations wishing to be inscribed are requested to kindly contact the secretariat of the First Committee (Ms. Veronika Bartosch (room S-2977G; tel. 1 (917) 367-9328)).

Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be forwarded to Ms. Cheryl Stoute, Secretary of the First Committee (room S-2977H; tel. 1 (212) 963-5595; fax 1 (212) 963-5305; e-mail leong@un.org).

Second Committee

The Second Committee will hold its 1st meeting on Monday, 19 September 2005, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 3, to consider its proposed organization of work, as contained in document A/C.2/60/L.1.

The Committee will also begin its general debate on Monday, 3 October 2005, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in Conference Room 2. The Under-Secretary-General for Economic and Social Affairs, Mr. José Antonio Ocampo, will make a statement.

Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be submitted to Mr. Nikhil Seth, Secretary of the Second Committee (room S-2950C; fax 1 (212) 963-5935).

General Assembly

Committee on Conferences

Substantive session

The substantive session of the Committee on Conferences will be held from 19 to 23 September 2005. The provisional agenda for the session will be as follows:

1. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters
2. Calendar of conferences and meetings
 - (a) Intersessional departures for 2005 and related matters
 - (b) Adoption of the draft biennial calendar of conferences and meetings for 2006-2007
 - (c) Improved utilization of conference-servicing resources and facilities
 - (i) Meeting statistics of United Nations organs, and consultations with/letters to bodies concerning utilization of the conference services available to them
 - (ii) Provision of interpretation services to meetings of regional and other major groupings of Member States
 - (iii) Improved utilization of conference facilities at the United Nations Office at Nairobi
 - (iv) Improved utilization of the conference centre at the Economic Commission for Africa
 - (d) Requests for exceptions to section I, paragraph 7, of General Assembly resolution 40/243
 - (e) Consideration of the draft biennial calendar of conferences and meetings of subsidiary organs of the Economic and Social Council for 2006-2007
3. Improving the performance of the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management
 - (a) Integrated global management

- (b) Workload standards and performance measures
 - (c) Responsibility and accountability system in documents submission
 - (d) Provision of summary records
 - (e) Electronic tools and innovative ways and means to provide services to Member States
- 4. Translation-and interpretation-related matters
 - 5. Review of the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2006-2007: Department for General Assembly and Conference Management
 - 6. Information technology
 - 7. Other business
 - 8. Adoption of the report

[Reports on agenda items 2 through 6 are contained in the following documents: A/AC.172/2005/CRP.2¹, A/60/93 and A/60/112.]

[In accordance with the procedure established by the Committee on Conferences at its 423rd meeting, on 1 September 1999, as reflected in paragraphs 172 to 175 of A/54/32, and amended in paragraph 10 of A/56/32, non-members who wish to participate as observers are invited to send a request in writing to Mr. Imre Karbuczky, Secretary of the Committee on Conferences (fax 1 (212) 963-7405; e-mail karbuczky@un.org).]

¹ To be issued.

Economic and Social Council

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board

Pre-session briefing

An informal pre-session information briefing on major issues before the UNICEF Executive Board at its second regular session (28-30 September 2005) will take place on Tuesday, 20 September 2005, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 3. The provisional annotated agenda and organization of work are contained in document E/ICEF/2005/10. All delegations are invited to attend.

Second regular session for 2005

The second regular session of the UNICEF Executive Board will take place from 28 to 30 September 2005 in Conference Room 2.

The provisional annotated agenda and organization of work are contained in document E/ICEF/2005/10. All documentation for the session is available on the UNICEF Web site at the following address: www.unicef.org/about/execboard/index_25993.html.

Delegations are requested to fax their credentials to the Office of the Secretary of the UNICEF Executive Board (fax 1 (212) 326-7096) as soon as possible, but no later than Friday, 23 September 2005. In accordance with rule 50 (2) of the rules of procedure and

its annex, observer delegations are also requested to communicate, with their credentials, their special interest in the items of the provisional agenda on which they intend to intervene.

Other forthcoming meetings

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Informal meeting of Heads of State and Government of French-speaking Member countries of the United Nations (organized by the Permanent Mission of France)

Thursday, 15 September 2005, from 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

Presentation and discussion on "Slums of the world – Trends and facts of MDG Target 11 on slums" (organized by the Monitoring Systems Branch, UN-Habitat, in collaboration with the International Institute for Geo-Information Science and Earth Observation (Netherlands))

Monday, 19 September 2005, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 9.

Sixth Annual Ministerial Meeting of the Group of Landlocked Developing Countries

Monday, 19 September 2005, from 3 to 6 p.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

UNITAR briefings for new delegates to the General Assembly

General briefing on the work of the sixtieth session of the General Assembly: Tuesday and Wednesday, 20 and 21 September 2005, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m.;

Special briefing on the work of the Second Committee: Thursday, 22 September 2005, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.;

Special briefing on the work of the Fifth Committee: Thursday, 22 September, from 3 to 6 p.m.; and

Special briefing on the work of the Third Committee: Friday, 23 September, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

[For further information, please contact Ms. Maud Graham (room DC1-603; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Second inter-agency consultations to prepare for the 2006 Comprehensive Review of the Brussels Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries (organized by the Office of the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States (UN-OHRLLS))

Wednesday, 28 September 2005, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (Closed meeting).

Briefing on "Developments in ocean affairs and the law of the sea" (organized by the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs, and the United Nations Institute for Training and Research)

Monday, 3 October 2005, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.; and

Tuesday, 4 October, from 1 to 3 p.m. (Room to be announced).

[Members of Permanent Missions are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Vasu Vaitla or Mr. Noel Johnston (tel. 1 (212) 963-9684 or 963-9196; e-mail vaitla@un.org).]

Announcements

Language Web sites of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly

The language Web sites of the High-level Plenary Meeting are the following:

www.un.org/summit2005
www.un.org/arabic/summit2005
www.un.org/chinese/summit2005
www.un.org/french/summit2005
www.un.org/russian/summit2005
www.un.org/spanish/summit2005

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf

The Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf will continue the work of its sixteenth session until Friday, 16 September 2005, at the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea (DC2 building, 4th floor), for a technical examination of submissions at the Geographic Information System Laboratory and other technical facilities.

Security Council

Daily informal briefings

As from Tuesday, 6 September 2005, and for the rest of the month, the Presidency of the Security Council will conduct informal briefings daily on the current work of the Council for Member States of the United Nations, which are non-members of the Council, except on days on which no informal consultations are scheduled. The

briefings will take place immediately following the adjournment of the informal consultations.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530.

Conference on Facilitating the Entry into Force of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty

The Conference on Facilitating the Entry into Force of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty will be held from 21 to 23 September 2005. The opening of the Conference will take place on Wednesday, 21 September, at 3 p.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. For enquiries regarding the provisional list of speakers, please contact Ms. Bertha Ortiz, Department for Disarmament Affairs (tel. 1 (212) 963-0846; fax 1 (212) 963-8892; room S-3140). Delegations are reminded that credentials should be issued for representatives of ratifying States and the name of alternate representatives and advisers, in accordance with rule 3 of the draft rules of procedures (CTBT-Art. XIV/2005/1). This information should be submitted to Ms. Kerstin Bihlmaier, Department for Disarmament Affairs (tel. 1 (212) 963-2381; fax 1 (212) 963-8892; room S-3140C).]

Summary of official meetings

Tuesday, 13 September 2005

Security Council

5259th meeting

The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia

Report of the Secretary-General on Ethiopia and Eritrea (S/2005/553 and S/2005/553/Add.1)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/2005/569, which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Council proceeded to vote on the draft resolution (S/2005/569) before it.

Decision: The draft resolution (S/2005/569) received 15 votes in favour, none against and no abstentions, and was adopted unanimously as resolution 1622 (2005).

5260th meeting

The situation in Afghanistan

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited His Excellency, Dr. Abdullah Abdullah, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Afghanistan, at his request, to participate in

the consideration of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/2005/576, which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Council proceeded to vote on the draft resolution (S/2005/576) before it.

Decision: The draft resolution (S/2005/576) received 15 votes in favour, none against and no abstentions, and was adopted unanimously as resolution 1623 (2005).

General Assembly

Fifty-ninth session

118th plenary meeting

Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields; Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit: draft resolution (A/59/L.70) [45 and 55]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda items 45 and 55.

The General Assembly decided to waive rule 78 of its rules of procedure.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/59/L.70 (resolution 59/314).

Statements in explanation of vote were made by the representatives of Cuba, the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Union) and the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela.

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda items 45 and 55.

Closure of the fifty-ninth session

The President made a statement.

The General Assembly observed one minute of silent prayer or meditation.

The President then declared closed the fifty-ninth session of the General Assembly.

General Assembly

Sixtieth session

1st plenary meeting

Opening of the session by the President of the General Assembly

The President, H.E. Mr. Jan Eliasson, declared the sixtieth session opened.

Minute of silent prayer or meditation

The General Assembly observed one minute of silent prayer or meditation.

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations (Article 19 of the Charter) (A/60/345)

The General Assembly took note of the letter from the Secretary-General (A/60/345) concerning nine Member States which were in arrears in the payment of their financial contributions to the United Nations within the terms of Article 19 of the Charter.

Statement by the President of the General Assembly

The President made a statement.

Appointment of the members of the Credentials Committee

On the proposal of the President, the General Assembly appointed nine members of the Credentials Committee: Cameroon, China, Panama, Portugal, Saint Lucia, Samoa, Sierra Leone, the Russian Federation and the United States.

Organization of work of the sixtieth session of the General Assembly: letter from the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences (A/60/344)

The General Assembly decided to authorize those subsidiary organs of the Assembly listed in the letter of the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences (A/60/344), namely the Committee on Relations with the Host Country, the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People, the Working Group on the Financing of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East (UNRWA), the Executive Board of the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), the United Nations Disarmament Commission, the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories and the Committee on Conferences, to meet during the main part of the sixtieth session of the General Assembly.

General Committee

1st meeting

The summary of the 1st meeting of the General Committee will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 2005/177).

Summary of meetings held away from Headquarters

Tuesday, 13 September 2005

Convention on the Rights of the Child**Committee on the Rights of the Child**

Fortieth session

United Nations Office at Geneva

1054th–1055th meetings *Consideration of reports of States parties* [4]

The Committee began its consideration of the combined second and third periodic reports of Australia (CRC/C/129/Add.4). In accordance with the Committee's provisional rules of procedure, representatives of the State party were present at the meetings and replied to questions raised and observations made by the members of the Committee.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Amendment to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer adopted by the Ninth Meeting of the Parties. Montreal, 17 September 1997

Acceptance: Cuba (12 September 2005)¹

Amendment to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer. Beijing, 3 December 1999

Acceptance: Cuba (12 September 2005)¹

International Convention for the Suppression of the Financing of Terrorism. New York, 9 December 1999

Objection to a reservation made by the Syrian Arab Republic upon accession: Austria (12 September 2005)¹

Opening for signature

International Convention for the Suppression of Acts of Nuclear Terrorism

United Nations Headquarters
(13 April 2005)

The above Convention was adopted on 13 April 2005 during the 91st plenary meeting of the General Assembly by resolution A/RES/59/290. In accordance with its article 24, the Convention shall be open for signature by all States from *today*, 14 September 2005, until 31 December 2006 at United Nations Headquarters in New York. The Convention will be open for signature on the first day of the *Focus 2005 Treaty Event: Responding to Global Challenges*.

The Secretary-General would be obliged if States wishing to sign the Convention could notify, and provide copies of the required full powers in advance to the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs, at United Nations Headquarters in New York (tel. 1 (212) 963-5047; fax 1 (212) 963-3693; e-mail treaty@un.org).

For more information on full powers, please refer to the Treaty Handbook on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site, which can be accessed at the following address: untreaty.un.org.

The Secretary-General takes this opportunity to recall that, under established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered, by virtue of their functions, to sign a treaty on behalf of a State without having to produce full powers to that effect. Other representatives wishing to sign a treaty must be in possession of appropriate full powers, which expressly authorize signature of a specified treaty by a named representative issued by one of these authorities.

¹ Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

Treaty event**Multilateral Treaty Framework: An invitation to Universal Participation
Focus 2005: Responding to Global Challenges****United Nations Headquarters
(14-16 September 2005)**

The Treaty Event will take place from *today*, 14 September, until Friday, 16 September 2005, during the General Assembly. Treaty actions may be undertaken with regard to any treaty deposited with the Secretary-General in addition to the 32 treaties being highlighted at this year's treaty event. The publication *Multilateral Treaty Framework: An invitation to Universal Participation – Focus 2005: Responding to Global Challenges* may be viewed in the United Nations Treaty Collection on the Internet at <http://untreaty.un.org> and will be circulated to all of the Permanent Missions in New York as soon as possible. Under the established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered, by virtue of their functions, to sign treaties on behalf of States without having to produce full powers to that effect. All other representatives wishing to sign treaties must be in possession of appropriate full powers which expressly authorize signature of specified treaties by a named representative, issued and signed by one of the above authorities. Likewise, instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession must be issued and signed by the same authorities.

Delegations wishing to undertake treaty actions during the treaty event are advised to contact the Treaty Section well in advance for appropriate arrangements to be made. Necessary facilities, including media coverage, will be made available for treaty actions to be undertaken in a solemn setting.

Further information concerning the requirements for full powers and the deposit of instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession (including model instruments) can be found in the *Treaty Handbook*.

Other announcements

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Treaty event for the ratification of the fundamental ILO conventions (organized by the International Labour Organization)

From *today*, 14, September, until Friday, 16 September 2005, in the Treaty Section Signature Room (S-3205).

[ILO Member States wishing to take advantage of the occasion of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly to sign or deposit an instrument of ratification of the fundamental ILO conventions are kindly requested to contact the ILO Office for the United Nations, New York (tel. 1 (212) 697-0150; fax 1 (212) 697-5218), as soon as possible, so that appropriate arrangements can be made.]

Side event on "Humanitarian reform and the Central Emergency Response Fund" with the Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and interested Member States (co-sponsored by the Permanent Missions of Luxembourg, Mexico, South Africa and Sweden)

Thursday, 15 September 2005, from 3 to 5 p.m. in Conference Room 7.

[For further information please contact Ms. Hee-Kyong Yoo (e-mail yoo@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9682).]

General information

Chairmen of regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of September 2005 has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:

Mozambique
H.E. Mr. Filipe Chidumo

Asian States:

China
H.E. Mr. Wang Guangya

Eastern European States:

The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
H.E. Mr. Igor Dzundev

Latin American and Caribbean States:

Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela
H.E. Mr. Fermin Toro Jiménez

Western European and other States:

Australia
H.E. Mr. John Dauth

With the exception of sales publications and public information material, hyperlinked official documents listed hereunder may be accessed through the Official Document System of the United Nations in the electronic version of the present Journal. The list contains documents issued by 2 p.m. on 13 September 2005.

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Main title</i>
General Assembly	Official Records
	Disarmament Commission
A/CN.10/PV.266 (Resumption 1)	Meeting held on 18 July 2005, 10 a.m. [E]
A/CN.10/PV.266 (Resumption 3)	Meeting held on 20 July 2005, 10 a.m. [E]
	Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples
A/AC.109/2005/SR.5	Meeting held on 8 June 2005, 10 a.m. [A C E F R S]
A/AC.109/2004/SR.11	Meeting held on 22 June 2004, 10 a.m. [A C E F R S]
General Assembly	Documents
	Sixtieth session
A/60/215	Item 73 (a) of the provisional agenda — Human rights questions: implementation of human rights instruments — United Nations Voluntary Fund for Victims of Torture — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S]
A/60/225	Item 52 (a) of the provisional agenda — Macroeconomic policy questions — International trade and development — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S]
A/60/331	Items 48 and 121 of the provisional agenda — Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields — Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit — Informal interactive hearings of the General Assembly with representatives of non-governmental organizations, civil society organizations and the private sector — Note by the President of the General Assembly [A C E F R S]
A/60/345	Item 29 of the provisional agenda — Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations — Letter dated 12 September 2005 from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly [A C E F R S]
	General Committee
A/BUR/60/1/Add.1	Organization of the sixtieth regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items — Memorandum by the Secretary-General [A C E F R S]

Security Council**Documents**

- S/2005/570 Letter dated 6 September 2005 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S]
- S/2005/571 Letter dated 9 September 2005 from the President of the Security Council addressed to the Secretary-General [A C E F R S]
- S/2005/574 Letter dated 9 September 2005 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S]
- S/Agenda/5258 Provisional agenda [A C E F R S]

**Security Council Committee established
pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)**

- S/AC.44/2004/(02)/7/Add.1
Note verbale dated 10 August 2005 from the Permanent Mission of Belize to the United Nations addressed to the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) [A C E F R S]
- S/AC.44/2004/(02)/8/Add.1
Letter dated 29 August 2005 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of Singapore to the United Nations addressed to the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) [A C E F R S]

**Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of
Discrimination against Women**

Official Records

**Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women
Twenty-eighth session**

- CEDAW/C/SR.629 Meeting held on 12 January 2004, 10 a.m. [A C E F R S]

Thirtieth session

- CEDAW/C/SR.634 Meeting held on 15 January 2004, 10 a.m. [A C E F R S]

Thirty-second session

- CEDAW/C/SR.681 Meeting held on 25 January 2005, 10 a.m. [A C E F R S]

**Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of
Discrimination against Women**

Documents

**Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination
against Women**

- CEDAW/C/NLD/4/Add.1
Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 18 of the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women — Fourth periodic report of States parties — The Netherlands: Aruba [A C E F R S]

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